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GOP Bill on Inflation Slowed by Democrats; Passage Now Unlikely

Amendments Hold Up Senate Action; House Gets Buying Controls Measure

By Alfred Friendly
Post Reporter

A last-minute Republican drive to enact portions of a noninflation control program before Christmas was virtually blighted yesterday by Senate Democrats.

They introduced and began debate on amendments to the GOP bill, fathered by Senator Taft (R., Ohio). The Senate finally recessed for the day without a vote.

Unless it can dispose of the amendments, pass the Taft bill and send it to the House by "a reasonable hour" today, there will be no chance to enact the bill before adjournment of the special session tomorrow.

Even under optimum circumstances, the odds are heavily against passage. If the House receives the bill today, approval must be won for a special rule so the bill can be considered tomorrow. Any hitches anywhere along the line would be fatal.

Senate Votes Credit Cards

Earlier yesterday, before the Senate began consideration of the Taft bill, it passed by voice vote a measure to restore curbs on installment buying. The previous controls, in the form of the Federal Reserve Board's "Regulation W," expired November 1. The bill passed yesterday restores the regulation and adds certain enforcement mechanism.

But this measure has no hope of enactment at the special session. House leaders have served notice that it must first go to the House Banking and Currency Committee for hearings before it will be considered by the full membership.

The Taft bill represented a Republican intention to demonstrate that party's willingness to go along with Mr. Truman's anti-inflation program.

It provides extension of expiring controls over exports and rail transportation; power for the Government to limit the use of grain by distillers; and an inducement, by way of an exemption from anti-trust prosecutions, to businessmen to conclude Government-sponsored voluntary agreements to allocate scarce commodities.

But Minority Leader Barkley (D., Ky.) called the measure "utterly inadequate and incomplete." Democrats took the view that it was a political maneuver of the majority to win some credit in the public's eyes for "doing something" about inflation, when actually it did very little.

9 Words Change Meaning

So, after two strategy meetings of Democratic Senators yesterday, Barkley introduced a series of amendments.

The first, with only nine little words, completely changed the sense of the Taft bill, by converting it into a masure giving the Government almost unlimited powers to install a compulsory program for allocations, priorities and rationing.

In other words, it provided power for the Administration to channel the flow of materials across the boards, from producer to processor to ultimate consumer.

Democratic Senators insisted that the amendment was simply an effort to make the bill mean something. In Barkley's words, it was to produce "a bill with teeth, that holds out some hope" for inflation control and lower prices.

A rip-roaring debate ensued. Part was directed to the substance of the legislation; most to the politics. The latter phase included a long hammer-and-tongs argument between Senators Capehart (R., Ind.), and O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.) as to whose fault it was that no legislation had been introduced sooner.

The upshot was that no vote on the amendment could be taken by last evening. Barkley indicated his side's willingness to have a roll call

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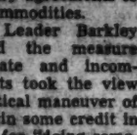

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The Federal Diary

12 2-3% Pay Boost Slated For 5500 at Printing Office

By Jerry Kluttz
Post Reporter

GPO: About 5500 employes here of the Government Printing Office are slated to be given an across-the-board pay raise of 12 2/3 per cent. The increase may be made effective tomorrow.

Public Printer A. E. Giegengack made the offer yesterday to representatives of his pressmen, printers and other craft unions. In the crafts are about 3000 employes. The proposed pay raise would increase their salaries about $10 a week each.

The craft workers were voting yesterday on the proposal. The first returns showed employes in the composing room to be voting about 3 to 1 to accept the offer. An even larger majority was reported in scattered returns from the press room.

The Giegengack offer covers only the craft workers. However, it has been the practice of the Public Printer to give helpers and laborers—all other per diem employes for that matter—the same percentage increase that is given the craft workers. There's no reason to believe that this policy is to be changed. In the helper and laborer group are 2500 workers, making a total of 5500 employes who stand to benefit from the 12 2/3 per cent offer.

The craft workers sought increases ranging from 15 to 42 per cent. Their demands were presented to the Joint Congressional Committee on Printing by the Public Printer. The committee authorized Giegengack to make the 12 2/3 per cent offer.

The 12 2/3 per cent was a compromise. It can be revealed that Giegengack sought a 15 per cent increase for his employes. Several committee members held out for 10 per cent, but they eventually approved the compromise figure.

In sessions with union representatives, Geigengack is reported to have urged them to accept the compromise offer. He told them:

"You can't get any more than the 12 2/3 per cent. If you reject this offer we'll be tied up the next two months in negotiations, and no increase agreed on in the future will be made retroactive."

The Joint Committee will meet at 11 a. m. tomorrow to receive the results of the craft worker referendum. If it's favorable, the Public

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Dr. Bish Named Principal of McKinley High

Mrs. Kinnear Retires As Eliot School Head, D. C. Board Announces

Dr. Charles E. Bish, associate professor of education at George Washington University, yesterday was named principal of McKinley High School.

His appointment and the retirement of Mrs. Agnes I. Kinnear, principal of Eliot Junior High School, were announced by the Board of Education.

The school board at its regular meeting also took steps to take over land owned by the District as a playground for students at the Negro Harrison Elementary School, 13th and V sts. nw.

Dr. Bish, who lives at 14 Duvall dr., Westmoreland Hills, Md., will become principal of McKinley on February 1. He succeeds Frank C. Daniel, who retired October 31 after 36 years as head of the school.

Mrs. Kinnear, 5402 Farragut st., Rogers Heights, Hyattsville, was first appointed to the public schools in 1899 and has served as principal of Eliot since its organization in 1931. Her retirement is effective at the close of the school year.

Other retirements announced yesterday were those of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Carter, 5624 Madison st., Bethesda, teacher at the Janney School, and of Miss Florence T. Judge, 4320 4th st. nw., teacher of mathematics at Woodrow Wilson High School.

Board members voted to ask the Board of Recreation to join in a resolution requesting the Commissioners to make land adjoining the Harrison School available for a playground.

Dr. Hobart M. Corning, superintendent of schools, said that the housing shortage is sufficiently relieved to permit razing of homes located on the property.

Dr. Bish, a native of Taneytown, Md., is a graduate of West-

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Arabs Make Peace Bid At Tel Aviv

Officials of Jaffa Suburb in First Overture to Jews

Jerusalem, Palestine, Dec. 17 (AP).—Arab officials of a Jaffa suburb made a peace bid to Jews of Tel Aviv today and a British district commissioner proposed a truce in the bullet-scarred area between the two cities.

Five officials of Jaffa's Jabalieh quarter, opposite the Bat Yam suburb of Tel Aviv, blamed sniping on "strangers" in Jabalieh.

The officials walked boldly past armed Hagana guards to confer with the chairman of the Jewish local council, and offer what was believed the first official Arab peace proposal since the United Nations approved the Palestine partition plan November 29.

They appealed to the Jews not to return Arab fire, but to telephone them in Jabalieh and "we will take care of the strangers ourselves."

British District Commissioner J. M. Lecavk, meanwhile, proposed a conference of Jewish and Arab leaders aimed at a truce in the no man's land between two other twin city suburbs—Jewish Holon and Arab Tel el Rish—where fighting has been bitter for 20 days.

A truce had been agreed upon yesterday, but one trigger-happy sniper touched off a barrage of shots which killed one Jew and wounded three others.

An official announcement today said a British police sergeant was killed and another policeman was injured seriously last night in front of a Jewish cafe.

High Commissioner Sir Alan Cunningham received Mrs. Goldie Mayerson, head of the Jewish Agency political department, who reportedly demanded that Trans-Jordan King Abdullah's Arab le-

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Will Reopen Case Jan. 12

FCC Voids Five FM Grants After Protest Against Denny

The Federal Communications Commission yesterday set aside its October grants for five new FM radio stations in the New York area, on which former FCC Chairman Charles R. Denny cast votes.

Denny left his FCC post to become associated with the National Broadcasting Co.

His participation in the grants was challenged by the News Syndicate Co., Inc., publisher of the New York Daily News, which was among the unsuccessful applicants for the available FM channels in the area.

The News contends that Denny "unlawfully" took part in the awards after a public announcement that he was leaving the FCC on November 1 to become vice president and general counsel for NBC.

The News asserted that NBC had an interest in the case as a major radio operator in the New York area.

The News also raised the contention that its business as a newspaper publishing firm had also been used by the commission as a basis for rejection of its application, and said that if this policy were allowed to stand it would place "in jeopardy" the licenses of all newspaper owners of radio stations.

The commission, in setting aside the October grants, announced it will reopen the case for new oral argument January 12.

The News was joined in the request for rehearing by another unsuccessful applicant, North Jersey Radio, Inc., which contended its application had been improperly rejected on a 3-to-3 vote, with one commissioner abstaining.

FCC made no direct reference to the News complaint concerning Denny's participation, but based its order on the finding that neither Denny nor Commissoner E. M. Webster was sitting on the bench when final oral argument in the case was heard.

3 Sought In Collapsed Building

Empire Apartments Debris Sifted by Firemen Hunting For Missing Tenants

Firemen probed the wrecked interior of the Empire Apartment building yesterday, seeking three persons missing since the structure collapsed Tuesday night.

One tenant died and at least 12 others were injured when sections of six floors in the seven-story building at 9th st. and New York ave. nw. plunged to the street level in a roar of wood, metal and masonry.

The dead man was identified as George Patterson, 70.

Still listed as missing are:

Mrs. K. B. Van Sickler, 79, who lived in a fifth floor apartment.

Joseph Smith.

Ernest Dorsey.

Rescue squads, imperiled by falling debris, abandoned their efforts at nightfall yesterday, but police and firemen remained on duty around the area to prevent fire and looting.

Firemen worked gingerly in the shell of the building throughout the day. Plaster, bricks and torn woodwork thudded ominously down on the mountain of wreckage which piled two stories high above the ground level.

Main Stairway Settles

The main stairway had settled 6 inches in three hours during the afternoon. The danger of explosion from gas and dust pockets lurked in the debris. Gas and water mains and electric lines, turned off in the undamaged basement shortly after the collapse by Janitor Charles Brown, dangled from the torn floors.

The building owner, Nick Papanicolas visited the scene, said he had "no comment."

Earlier yesterday, his firm had been served with a notice from the building inspector's office to start immediate action to make the building safe.

A recommendation that streetcar operations past the area on New York ave. be discontinued because of the vibration came from E. J. Rohter, secretary of the Arrow Wrecking Co.

Robert Davis, director of building inspection, in a preliminary report to the Commissioners, said failure of a "structural member" on the second floor might have been a possible cause of the collapse.

"Complete Confidence"

Engineer Commissioner Gordon R. Young said expert architects or builders might be asked to sit in with the building inspection department in the investigation. He added, however, that the probe plan "is in no sense a reflection of a lack of confidence in the inspection department—in which I have complete confidence."

As firemen searched for the three missing persons, anxious relatives mingled with the crowds or attempted to get information from police.

William Van Sickler, of Accokeek, Md., whose mother was

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Last Inspection Record Of Empire Building 'Lost'

The Empire Building here, which partly collapsed Tuesday night, had passed routine building inspection three years ago but the inspection record of its most recent remodeling last night was reported "mislaid or lost." Story on Page B-1.

U. S. to Share British Zone Rule Cost

$400 Millions Outlay In 1948 Assumed To Govern Area in Western Germany

After months of negotiation the United States finally agreed yesterday to take over most of the British dollar burdens in the combined zones of western Germany until the end of 1948.

The agreement, signed by Acting Secretary Lovett for the United States and Sir William Strang for Great Britain, calls for additional expenditure of about 400 million dollars by the United States in the coming year.

Last year's agreement splitting the dollar cost equally between the two countries is thus revised because of the virtual exhaustion of Britain's dollar resources. In return the United States gets preponderant control of the Joint Export-Import Agency and the Joint Foreign Exchange Agency which handles the foreign trade of the combined western zones.

Although the new agreement leaves political and military control of the British zone in British hands, it is already obsolete in some ways because of the breakdown of the Foreign Ministers' negotiations on Germany in London.

Reports from Europe yesterday indicated early moves toward the economic fusion of the French zone with the British and American zones, which were merged economically a year ago. In London French Foreign Minister Bidault visited British Foreign Secretary Bevin, and later had a private talk with Secretary Marshall, who plans to fly home today.

In Germany the American and British commanders, General Sir Brian Robertson, planned to meet soon, perhaps this weekend, to discuss western Germany's future with the Ministers' President of the German states in the American and British zones and with members of the German Economic Council.

Since France is just as short of dollars as Britain, the present agreement on dollar costs may have to be revised again when France merges her zone with the others.

The dollars involved in yesterday's agreement are needed to pay for food and other essential imports for the German people. Most of these supplies can be obtained only in the United States, although some will continue to come from the "sterling area" and be paid for in British pounds.

Under the agreement the British sterling share represents about 25 per cent of the total needed to supply the western zones. For the remainder of this year the British will provide about 4½ million pounds (about 18 million dollars) in goods and services and 4 million pounds (about 16 million dollars) in sterling currency.

Next year they will provide goods and services from the

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Bevin Denies Europe Is 'Hanging Back'

London, Dec. 17 (AP).—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin denied in the Commons today that Europe was "hanging back" in contributing to the European recovery program. He said the continent is in "a very difficult position to know what steps to take until Congress has made its decision" on financing the Marshall Plan.

Controversy on Contraceptives

British Wife's Ban on Babies Held No Annulment Grounds

London, Dec. 17 (AP).—Britain's highest court ruled today that a woman's insistence that her husband use contraceptives does not mean he can have their marriage annulled.

The five law members of the House of Lords laid down that legal principle in upholding a lower court decision against a London laboratory worker who sought to have his marriage annulled on the ground his wife's refusal to permit sexual intercourse unless he used a contraceptive was wilful refusal to consummate marriage.

Under the marriage law revised in 1937 by Parliament wilful refusal to consummate marriage is grounds for nullification.

At the same time Lord Jowitt, the Lord Chancellor, who delivered the opinion, advised against relying strictly on the wording of the Church of England prayer book, which describes in one version the "procreation of children" and in another "the increase of mankind" as one of the principal purposes of marriage.

Jowitt ruled that Parliament used the word "consummate" as it is "understood in common parlance and in the light of social conditions known to exist."

These social conditions, he added, included establishment in recent years of reputable birth control clinics and their use by "many young married couples."

"There is danger, too, in too strict reliance on the words of the prayer book," he said.

The church of England is the state church and its prayer book, authorized in 1662, declared that "first, it (marriage) was ordained for the procreation of children, to be brought up in the fear and nurture of the Lord and to the praise of his Holy Name."

A revised form, which has failed twice to get required parliamentary approval, is in alternate use by the church. It was employed in the wedding of Princess Elizabeth last month.

It reads that marriage "was ordained for the increase of mankind according to the will of God and that children be brought up in the fear and nurture of the Lord . . ."

In his decision, Jowitt said:

"It seems to me that the essence of the view of Christian marriage is that any children born into a family should be brought up and nurtured in the Christian faith.

"That is not the same thing as saying that a marriage is not consummated unless children are procreated, or that procreation is the principle end of marriage."

No comment was forthcoming immediately from Church of England leaders.

Helena Has 'Quake

Helena, Mont., Dec. 17 (AP).—An earthquake of about eight seconds duration awakened residents of this Montana capital city of 18,000 persons at 5:38 a. m. (MST) today. No damage was reported.

Anderson Subpenaed By Senate Committee To Reveal Speculators

Occupation Funds Also Cut

House Reduces Interim Aid Appropriation to 509 Millions

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

The House yesterday cut back interim relief for France, Italy and Austria from 597 to 509 million dollars and more than halved Army occupation estimates for Germany, Japan and Korea.

With only a token show of resistance, the House sustained all of the foreign relief slashes and program limitations voted earlier by the House Appropriations Committee.

The House action put the question of restoring all or part of the cuts strictly up to the Senate. Senate Appropriations Chairman Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) said his group may act late today but declined to predict the outcome.

Bridges said he personally favors including funds for China in the bill. China was named in the recent relief authorization but no specific sum was asked pending completion of a State Department plan. The appropriation approved yesterday by the House provides no funds for China.

Even as the House carved 88 million dollars from interim aid appropriations the President without ceremony signed the enabling act Congress cleared earlier this week authorizing the full 597 million dollars asked.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee, amid some partisan fireworks, meanwhile opened hearings on the GOP's Herter bill setting up an independent Government corporation to administer foreign aid programs.

Representative Pete Jarman (D., Ala.) in effect accused Republicans of jumping the gun on the President's long range Marshall Plan message, due tomorrow. Jarman tried to block the hearing on a no quorum point, but absentees were summoned and the hearing proceeded.

Representative Christian A. Herter (R., Mass.) told the committee his proposed eight-man bipartisan "Emergency Foreign Reconstruction Authority" would:

1. Centralize administrative responsibility under a single individual, with a board of directors representing "as good brains, experience and judgment as the two political parties can muster."

2. Coordinate all Government activities in the foreign air field without detracting from the Presi-

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Distillers Won't Reduce Grain Quotas

Anderson Calls Stand Mandate for Congress To Impose Controls

America's distillers yesterday abruptly turned down a Government request for voluntary reduction of the use of grain in the manufacture of liquor.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, who presented the Government program, termed the refusal a "mandate" for Congress to impose compulsory controls.

As a result of their failure to agree on voluntary restrictions, Anderson said, he would ask Congress for authority until January 31 to decide how much grain the industry shall get.

Anderson asked the distillers to limit their consumption of grain for the next three months to 2,500,000 bushels a month. The restriction, he said, was necessary to provide sufficient grain to meet the needs of hungry people abroad. This year's consumption averaged about 4,600,000 bushels a month.

56 Out of 111 Vote

Although 111 distillers were invited to the meeting, only 56 voted on the Government proposal and representatives of several distillers, including one of the largest, failed to respond to the invitation to attend.

Anderson frankly told the meeting that grain savings, promised by the industry in October, had not ben accomplished because of expanded operations in the three weeks before the 60-day shutdown of distilleries went into effect October 25.

A counter proposal of the Distilled Spirits Institute, providing for 3,500,000 bushels a month for the next three months, also was defeated.

"Quite obviously there is no voluntary program," Anderson said as the meeting broke up.

"You're trying to stockpile at a time when most people believe

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Chinese Aid Held Vital by Wedemeyer

Assistance to Chiang Urged as Part of Drive to Halt Reds

By Ferdinand Kuhn, Jr.
Post Reporter

Lieut. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer pleaded yesterday for American help to China as part of a world-wide effort to check communism.

Military and economic assistance to the Chiang Kai-shek government was essential, he said, to stop the advance of "a power that has world expansion and world aggression as its program."

Testifying before the Senate Appropriations Committee, the general steadfastly refused to tell the contents of his secret report based on his visit to China as a presidential emissary earlier this year. He said he was under orders from his Commander in Chief, President Truman, not to disclose the report.

This drew a hint from Chairman H. Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) that the committee would demand the report later at a secret session.

General Wedemeyer did not hesitate, however, to give what he called the "normal impressions of a traveler." "It doesn't matter an awful lot whether Chiang is a benevolent despot—which he is—or a democrat," said the general, testifying in a packed committee room that held Chinese Ambassador V. K. Wellington Koo and many leading American advocates of aid to China.

"The fact is that all his life he has opposed communism," he went on. "He stood by us as an ally in the war when he might have accepted favorable peace terms from Japan and released a million and a half Japanese soldiers to be used against us.

"Personally I think he is a fine character, and you gentlemen would admire and respect him. I

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Silver Spring Holdup

Bandits Get $7576 Payroll, Lock Two Men in Car Trunk

Two armed bandits made off yesterday with the $7576 payroll of a Silver Spring (Md.) firm, after kidnaping the two custodians at gun point and locking them in the trunk of their car.

The payroll carriers pried their way free after 20 minutes, to report the theft to Montgomery County police.

The men said they were driven under threats of death to a cart path off East-West hwy. near the end of 16th st., forced into the trunk and left there by the bandits.

The victims were Charles B. Ebbecke, 37, salesman, of 721 Tuckerman st. nw., and Philip E. Barnes, jr., 27, accountant, of 8401 Greenwood ave., Takoma Park, Md., both employes of Haynes Lithograph Co., 1140 East-West hgwy., Silver Spring.

They told police they had returned to the plant from the Bank of Silver Spring and had parked in front of the office with the payroll in a canvas bag. The bandits appeared, one on each side of the car.

While one bandit drove the car away, the second kept a .45-caliber automatic pointed at the men from the back seat. They were told to "do as we say or we'll kill the both of you," they said.

The bandits backed the car onto a dump in the wooded area and forced the two men out and to the back of the car.

After they crawled into the trunk compartment at the bandits' command, they said, the door was lowered on them and they were squeezed in till the door latched.

Ebbecke said they first tried to force the latch with a tire iron, but failing in that, attacked the back of the rear seat. They succeeded in forcing it upward and forward, and squirmed through. Then they thumbed a ride to the police station.

Kenneth R. Haynes, an official

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Secretary Planning To Appear Today But Is Undecided About Testimony

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

The Senate Appropriations Committee yesterday subpenaed Secretary of Agriculture Anderson in a dramatic effort to force him to reveal the names of speculators in commodity markets.

The issuance of a subpena to a Cabinet member is unprecedented in recent history.

It called upon Anderson to furnish the committee at 9:30 a. m. today a list of all speculators in grain and other commodities in the last two years.

At a late hour last night Anderson, surrounded by legal advisers, was studying the summons, and trying to decide his course of action.

He said he would appear in response to the subpena but declared that his action on revealing hitherto secret records of his department would be determined later—"probably just before I appear."

"Physical Impossibility"

Reading the subpena carefully to newsmen, he stated that to comply with it "would not be a physical impossibility—for 25,000 men in five years."

The complete records called for, he said, are not in the possession of his department.

The subpena, issued by the Appropriations Committee after study by the Senate Republican Policy Committee, called for:

"The total volume of each such commodity purchased or sold on each such Board of Trade by each such trader during all of each such years of 1946 and 1947, and on each such day, and the price of which each such sale was made."

The sensational action by the committee followed several days of jockeying by Republican and Democratic leaders over making public the names of all commoditiy traders.

Answered Earlier Request

Anderson has answered a written request of Chairman Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) of the committee Tuesday, that the law prohibited him from making public the list of traders in commodities. Bridges' committee had earlier interpreted the same law as permitting such disclosure.

Tuesday Anderson had asked the committee to remove all doubt about the legality of revealing the names by a joint resolution of Congress directing him to make the list public.

The committee's action was the first response to Anderson's suggestion. "The secureserty is absolutely wrong under the law," Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio), chairman of the GOP policy committee, declared.

Taft said the Republicans want to know when Anderson made his last investigation of the commodity exchanges, and whether there have been any leaks from the Government "which may have reached traders either in or out of the Government."

Records 'In Billions'

Joseph M. Mehl, administrator of the Commodity Exchange Authority, which has supervision of commodity exchanges, agreed with Anderson's assertion that the demand was "impossible" within such a short period.

Eighteen comomdity exchanges would be involved, Mehl said, and the transactions concerned would "run into billions of dollars."

The department, Mehl said, has investigated and has records of only a small part of the information the committee seeks. That part, Mehl asserted, is protected from publicity by the law.

The commodities involved in the far-reaching subpena, Mehl said, include wheat, corn, oats, rye, barley, the full group of grain sorghums, cotton, cottonseed oil, lard, butter, eggs, soybeans, soybean oil, fats and oils, potatoes, bran and shorts—"and others."

It will call, Mehl added, for reports from more than 600 commission merchants dealing in futures—reports never before called for by the Government.

The reports of trading in commodities required by the Government normally call for all transactions by operators dealing in more than 200,000 bushels of grain. These reports are required from

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Letters to Certain Fat Man Revealed

Samples of letters to Santa Clause revealed as postoffice is flooded with missives from children. Page 12.

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Russia to Present New Austrian Plan

Deputy Minister Surprises Westerners By 'Conciliatory' Attitude on German Assets

London, Dec. 17 (NYHT).—Soviet Russia promised today to submit to the deputies of the Council of Foreign Ministers a new "concrete proposal" aimed at solving the question of German assets in Austria, main obstacle to four-power agreement on an Austrian peace treaty.

The Soviet promise was made at the "very conciliatory" first meeting of the deputies for Austria.

Russian deputy N. K. Koktamov surprised the western deputies by the two-fold nature of his promise. First, he made it clear that Russia is now preparing to discuss concrete proposals for settlement of the whole Austrian problem. Second, he left no doubt that Russia regards the Council of Foreign Ministers as still the proper instrument for four-power negotiations on the Austrian and presumably the German problem. He said the Russian proposal would be read in two weeks.

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U. S. to Share Cost of Ruling German Zone Held by British

sterling area worth about 17½ million pounds (about 70 million dollars) and also hold 4½ million pounds (about 17 million dollars) in reserve for procuring additional supplies if possible.

Some of this contribution represents British shipping that will be used to move cargoes from the United States to Germany—33 ships for the rest of this year and enough to carry 144 cargoes next year.

There were two main stumbling blocks in the negotiations, which have dragged on for more than two months in Washington and London.

The first was the American insistence on having power in the two German foreign trade agencies proportionate to the American financial contribution. In the final agreement the Americans have won their point, but there is also a provision that either party may ask the two military commanders to review decisions of the two boards. In this way a possible dispute can be brought to the attention of the two governments.

Exchange Fund a Hurdle

The second stumbling block concerned the sterling funds now held by the Joint Foreign Exchange Agency, and the obligation the British assumed last year to convert these into dollars.

The British have agreed now to convert this sterling whenever the dollar holdings of the agency fall below 20 million dollars, and then only enough to bring the agency's dollar funds back to this minimum.

To minimize the danger of another serious dollar drain on the British, the United States has agreed, firstly, that no more than 40 million dollars' worth of sterling will have to be converted in 1948, and secondly, that the British government can always raise the matter with the United States Government during the year.

The new agreement cannot become fully effective until Congress appropriates new funds, early in the regular session. The Army department asked Congress at the present special session for additional funds to cover the cost of taking over the British dollar burden, but the House Appropriations Committee ruled that the request had to wait until the agreement with the British had been signed.

'Voice' to Aim At Falsehoods Of Russians

From now on the "Voice of American" and related activities abroad will try to identify and disprove Soviet falsehoods about American policies, Acting Secretary of State Lovett told his news conference yesterday.

This sharpening of American overseas broadcasts was a response, in part, to Soviet broadcasts and editorials blaming the United States and Secretary Marshall for the breakdown of the Foreign Ministers Conference in London.

Lovett accused the Russians of what he called rather obvious attempts to influence European and world opinion against the United States, and said the State Department did not intend to let them go unchallenged.

He said he knew of no antidote except to tell the truth, get the record straight and label the falsehoods. He said an expanded use of broadcasts abroad was part of the State Department's effort to deal with the world forthrightly and, as he put it, to catch up with peace.

Another official explained later the sharpened broadcasts would not necessarily call attention to the Moscow radio or Pravda or any other Soviet source in presenting their refutations. Instead, he said, every effort would be made to answer the falsehoods by affirmative statements of American policy.

In the case of the London conference, this official said, the "Voice of America" broadcasts quoted from Secretary Marshall's closing statement to clear the and blame Soviet policy for the breakdown.

Naval Reservists Praise Service's Postwar Setup

President John P. Bracken of RONS—association of Reserve Officers of the Naval Services—yesterday wrote Secretary of the Navy John L. Sullivan commending the Navy for its efforts in setting up the postwar naval reserve.

Bracken quoted a resolution passed by the group's recent national convention, lauding the Navy's reserve program and pledging full support in carrying it out. A spokesman for RONS said Bracken's letter was sent as a result of newspaper reports of criticism leveled against the Department of the Army by the Reserve Officers Association.

The RONS spokesman declared a ROA statement that the two organizations and the Marine Corps Reserve Officers Association were "about to affiliate" required "clarification." The recent RONS convention authorized merely a study of the proposal, with any merger subject to a later vote and ratification by local chapters, it was said.

Col. Melvin A. Maas, president of the Marine association, said an informal ROA merger proposal had not yet been considered by his group.

Occupation Agreement

Associated Press Photo

ON THE LINE—Undersecretary of State Robert Lovett (left) and Sir William Strang, political adviser to the British commander in chief in Germany, sign papers yesterday at the State Department in which the United States agrees to take over in 1948 about 400 million dollars of German occupation costs that Great Britain has been carrying

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

PROPOSAL—Shaded area indicates American, British and French zones of occupation in Germany which may be merged. German political leaders discussed creation of a western German state with a new capital at Frankfort, in the American zone

Gromyko Says U. N. Future Depends Upon 'Cooperation'

New York, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko of the Soviet Union said today the people of Russia, while disappointed with the United Nations so far because of American policy, still believe the U. N. can become "an effective instrument in the struggle for preservation of international peace and security."

Gromyko declared the U. N.'s future hinges on the willingness of the great powers to cooperate.

He said, however, the breakdown of the Council of Foreign Ministers in London would "not make the work of the United Nations any easier" and warned an effective system of world atomic energy control may be impossible unless the United States alters its position in the U. N.

Gromyko asserted "somebody" has been inciting the Arab people since the United Nations decision to partition Palestine. But he said the violence occurring there was to be expected.

Gromyko underscored Russia's determination to boycott the American-inspired "Little U. N. Assembly," the Balkans Commission and the Korean Independence Commission—all established at the recent General Assembly meeting over Soviet bloc protests.

Committee Asks Investigation Of German Plants' Removal

By the United Press

The House Foreign Affairs Committee yesterday approved a resolution calling for a congressional investigation of the dismantling and removal of German industrial plants in view of the breakup of the London Foreign Ministers Conference.

It said the western zones of occupied Germany now represent a "deficit economy requiring large appropriations by the United States."

They also, it said, constitute "an integral part of the European economy which is to be considered by Congress in connection with any general program of European recovery.

"The failure by the London Conference of Foreign Ministers to reach agreement may require a reexamination of the German question," it added.

The committee's resolution was a substitute for one offered by Representative Francis Case (R., S. Dak.), among others things, it asked the State Department to say:

How many of the 682 German plants recently announced as surplus had been removed and whether any of them could have contributed to Europe's economic recovery under the Marshall Plan.

How many of the remaining plants can be converted to peacetime production and will they help boost Germany's export trade.

Have any plants been removed beyond limits set down in the Yalta agreement.

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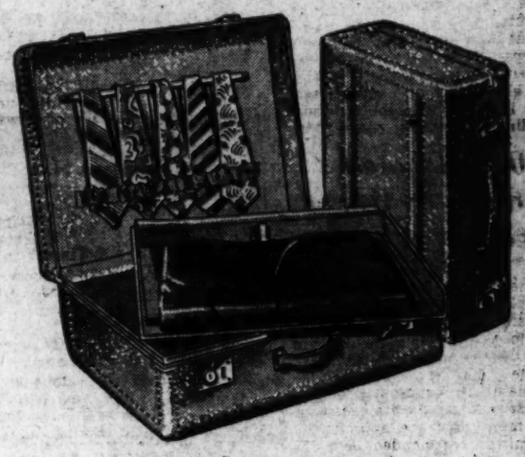

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LINGERGH LAMUTANCHU
His horoscope "unfavorable"

London, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—A British soldier-scientist revealed today that the borders of Tibet have been closed to foreigners until 1950 following warnings by official astrologers that the Dalai Lama, the little-known country's spiritual and temporal ruler, was in grave danger.

Group Capt. A. F. Bandidt, who led secret Royal Air Force missions in Asia during the war, said that a British scientific expedition to the Tibetan Himalayas had been canceled as a result of closing of Tibetan frontiers.

He said the young Lama's attendants had become "increasingly alarmed over unfavorable aspects of his horoscope which indicated utmost precautions against foreigners were necessary."

Observers suggested the move was dictated by fear of Communist infiltration.

The Dalai Lama, considered by Tibetans to be the fourteenth reincarnation of their first leader, is celebrating his fourteenth birthday today. The present lama was identified as such after a five-year search by Tibetan monks.

He is now being educated in the sacred city of Lhasa and will take over his duties in 1951—a year after the present ban on foreigners ends.

The boy lama has been named Jampel Ngawang Lobsang Yishey Tenzing Gyatso, which means tender glory, mighty in speech, excellent in intellect, absolute wisdom, holding to doctrine, ocean-wide.

$500,000 Voted Indians as House Hears of 'Disgrace'

By The Associated Press

The House yesterday heard that the plight of the Navajo and Hopi Indians in the Southwest is a "national disgrace," and voted $500,000 for immediate aid.

The fund, as included in the supplemental appropriation bill and sent to the Senate, was $300,000 more than the appropriation committee recomended, and $50,000 more than asked by the Budget Bureau.

The increase came in an amendment by Representative Harless (D., Ariz.), who said that $200,000 would fall far short of feeding and clothing destitute Indians on the Navajo and Hopi reservations in Arizona, New Mexico and Utah this winter. The half million dollars he added, will be "eager."

"We stand here and talk of foreign aid when we have a national disgrace in this country," he continued. "We should hang our heads in shame."

Assembly Upholds DeGasperi Regime Over Communists

Rome, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Premier Alcide de Gasperi's two-day-old rightist government won its first test of strength today when the National Assembly upheld its ouster of the left-wing mayor of Pescara on charges of incompetence and favoring Communist-led partisans.

The Assembly, by a vote of 246 to 140, rejected a Communist motion to reinstate Socialist Mayor Antonio Giovannucci, whose ouster was announced in a decree published yesterday. He had been removed December 9, after partisans occupied and held the Pescara city hall for eight days.

The partisans called for a half-day general strike in Pescara, but about 70 per cent of the workers ignored the order.

Communists also suffered serious setbacks in Sicily's two largest cities, Palermo and Catania, where general strikes collapsed. Except for transportation tie-ups, work went on normally.

Left-wing Socialist Leader Pietro Nenni, opening assembly debate on the new De Gasperi cabinet, denounced it as a tool of the United States, and warned extreme leftists might resort to force if the "nine million voters we control" have no voice in the government.

Nenni, attacked Foreign Minister Count Carlo Sforza's statement on President Truman's declaration that the United States would safeguard the liberty and independence of Italy. Sforza had said the declaration was in accord with the peace treaty.

Pope Pius told Rome's mayor, Salvatore Rebecchini, and 18 executive councilmen that he hoped the capital would be free from disorders and attacks against the Vatican before the start of the Roman Catholic Church holy year in 1950.

Argentina Offer Of Aid Applies To Latin America

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 17 (AP).—Diego Luis Molinari, chief Argentine delegate to the Havana Trade Conference, said today his country was ready to furnish one million tons of grain a month under a five-million-dollar credit plan he proposed for the development of Latin American countries.

He emphasized that his proposed programs was only for the benefit of Latin America.

"Putting money into Europe now is the same thing as throwing money into a barrel without a bottom," Molinari said.

Last night when Molinari first announced the plan, Newsmen understood him to say the offer was part of the Marshall Plan.

New Jet Bomber Has First Test Flight

Seattle, Dec. 17 (AP).—Boeing Aircraft Co.'s new experimental jet bomber, the XB-47, took off today on its first test flight and 50 minutes later landed at Moses Lake, Wash., Army air field, 145 air miles away.

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A LIFE IS SAVED—Swimming ashore through the ice-choked waters of Slipper Rock Creek, near McConells Mills, Pa., John Miller, 28, tows Andy Petrick, 17, to safety and saves the the boy frofm drowning. The youth slipped fro ma rock and fell into the icy water. The photo was made by an amateur photographer, Thomas Matske, 26, who accompanied the others on a trip to the scenic spot

'Friend Ship' Delivers Food To Le Havre

Le Havre, France, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—The first American "Friend Ship," loaded to the gunwales with food, docked at this bomb-battered port at noon (6 a. m. EST) today. Its arrival was announced by blaring whistles and a barrage of chocolate bars thrown where bullets once fell like hail.

Loaded with nine million pounds of food, the first section of the "Friendship Train" had reached the end of the line. The cargo was only a fraction of the 240 freight cars of food collected by the train on its tour of the United States last month.

The rest was to be shipped over later.

Drew Pearson, Washington columnist credited with originating the idea of the Friendship Train, and his wife, were on hand to greet the ship.

United States Ambassador to France Jefferson Caffery turned the food over to French Health Minister Mme. Germaine Poinso Chapis with the statement that "this is not a Government gesture."

"It is a spontaneous gesture on the part of private citizens living in the most remote regions of the United States," Caffery said, "I have the honor to be their ambassador and I have the honor of presenting their gift to you."

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AID—From Page 1

House Reduces Interim Aid Appropriation to 509 Millions

dent's Constitutional power over foreign relations.

In the House meanwhile, three attempts to liberalize Appropriations Committee cuts and restrictions on stop-gap relief and the occupation program were shouted down, viva voce, without even a standing vote.

Javits' Proposal Opposed

Representative Jacob K. Javits (R., N. Y.) tried to restore 26 million of the interim aid cut. He proposed more for France, to enable it to use its own funds to make a required contrbiution to the World bank and pay necessary government costs. He asked a similar 6 million dollar restitution to Italy to cover diplomatic costs, prewar bond settlements and interest payments.

Javits argued this was the best way to answer Soviet charges that we are invading the sovereignty of France and Italy. He said the additions would help maintain the integrity of both governments.

House Appropriations Chairman John Taber (R., N. Y.), opposing any increase, said France and Italy "can find the money somewhere else."

Javits asked if the Appropriations Committee discovered "any other place where they can get money."

"No," said Taber, "but I believe they can find some."

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Luckman Gave Lavish Feast, Arends Says, Quoting Menu

By the United Press

House Republican Whip Leslie C. Arends (Ill.) took a deep breath yesterday and then reeled off the menu of "Belshazzar Feast" which he said Charles Luckman gave for 100 subordinates when he stepped down as head of the President's food conservation drive.

"This is what the Luckman celebrants had as they told the people to eat less so that Europe might have more," he told the House.

"The dinner began with cocktails in generous supply. Then came shrimp cocktail, fried oysters, crab, shrimp and lobster gumbo, curried chicken, roast turkey, baked ham, roast beef, string beans au gratin, fried apple rings, pickled walnuts, celery, olives, pickles, mixed green salad, rye, rolls, assorted ice creams, assorted finger rolls, coffee.

"Luckman picked up the check for the Belzhazzar feast.

"The moral is obvious. Think of that kind of a feast when the President asks for power to reestablish a more colossal OPA than we had in wartime.

"The American people know how OPA completely failed after the war. They know that if OPA comes back as the Administration radicals desire, the people will get black markets, old bull meat and short shirttails."

In Boston, Luckman said he had "no comment on Adends' statement.

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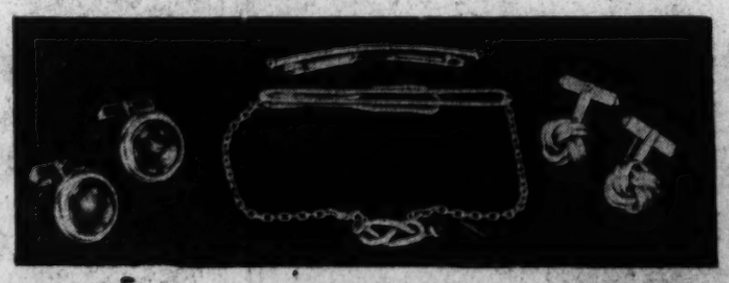

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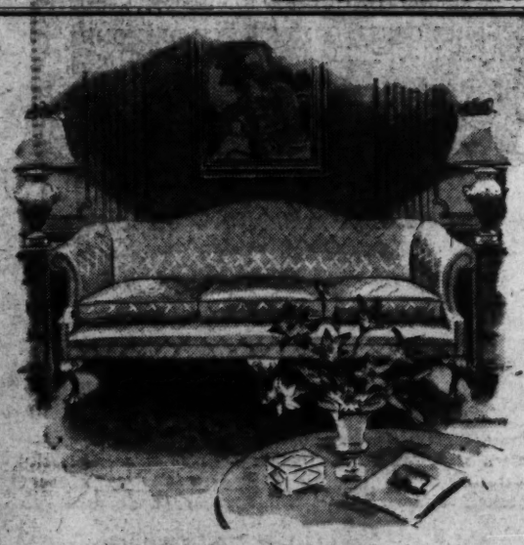

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Chinese Reds Open Manchurian Attack

Mukden Apparently Is Objective In Seventh Offensive of Civil War

Nanking, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—The Chinese Communists have opened their seventh general Manchurian offensive of the civil war with the provincial capital of Mukden as their apparent objective. Semi-official dispatches from the northeast said today.

At least three Communist divisions were reported advancing on Mukden despite 32-degree-below-zero cold.

"Heavy fighting" was reported on all sides of Mukden.

All Manchurian Nationalist field commanders were summoned to Mukden for emergency conference with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's field commander, Gen. Chen Cheng.

CHINA—*From Page 1*

Wedemeyer Urges Chinese Aid

feel he is the logical leader of China today. He needs our help and he should get it."

"Do you consider that we have kept our promise to China?" Bridges asked him.

"No, sir; I do not," Wedemeyer answered. "I do not say that maliciously. There may have been circumstances that precluded our keeping them."

Differs With Butterworth

In alleging broken promises Wedemeyer was contradicting previous testimony by W. Walton Butterworth, director of the State Department's Office of Far Eastern Affairs, who said his "general impression" was that the United States had lived up to its undertakings to China as to other countries.

Wedemeyer went on to say Chiang had "leaned over backward" to keep his promises to the United States.

"If I were he, I would be quite impatient with the United States," the general said.

Former Ambassador William C. Bullitt argued that 60 million dollars in China's hands would be more useful to American interests than an equal sum in the hands of France, Italy and Austria.

Bullitt said it was an "open secret" in Washington that Ambassador J. Leighton Stuart is sending "urgent telegram after urgent telegram" from Nanking calling for aid to China, but sometimes not even getting "the courtesy of a reply" from the State Department.

"We need desperately in China a man of the first quality to handle our entire interests there," Bullitt told the committee. He said his first choice was Gen. Douglas MacArthur on a temporary assignment, but as an alternative he recommended sending Gen. Mark Clark because of his experience in dealing with Communists as American commander in Austria.

Representative Walter Judd of Minnesota testified that "democracy in China is secondary to our security."

"This is not a civil war," said Judd, speaking of the fighting in China. "It is the first skirmish of World War III. If we act, we may be able to stop it from going further."

Assistant Secretary of State Willard Thorp said the State Department would have a long-term program of help to China early in the regular session of Congress, but had no request for China now. From the committee's questions today it was apparent that an appropriation for China might be included in the bill, even without a specific program.

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Washington and Lee U. Receives $47,000 Gift

Lexington, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Securities valued at more than $47,000 have been given to the bicentennial fund of Washington and Lee University by Mrs. Alfred I. duPont of Wilmington, Del., to be applied to increasing teachers salaries, President Francis P. Gaines announced today.

The gift was the second large amount given by Mrs. duPont to the bicentennial program, the aim of which is to raise three million dollars by the time of the university's 200th aniversary in 1949. The first gift amounted to about $55,000.

Army Plans Division Of Scientific Research

Army Secretary Royall announced yesterday that he would set up a scientific division in his office headed by a "scientific assistant to the Secretary."

The new aide and his staff, Royall said, will maintain contact with civilian agencies and other Government departments on research and development matters. The new unit, he stated, was recommended by Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of George Washington University and research consultant to the Army.

Tojo to Take Blame for Jap Attack

Tokyo, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Former Premier Hideki Tojo will take full responsibility for Japan's declaration of war against the Allies when he takes the stand, probably Monday, before the International Military Tribunal for the Far East, it was learned today.

The bald, 64-year-old No. 1 Japanese war crimes suspect also will take the blame for execution of the Doolittle fliers and the deaths of thousands of British and Australian prisoners building the Burma-Siam railroad.

Tojo will offer the following arguments:

1. Japan's war was a defensive one and was inevitably brought on by Allied economic pressure.

2. The decision to attack Pearl Harbor and British possesions was made at a December 1, 1941, imperial conference because the United States note of November 26 was regarded as an ultimatum and the chief fear was that prior military consultations between the Americans, British and Dutch would result in an allied attack on Japan.

3. Tojo and Minister of the Navy Admiral Shigetaro Shimada were the only two cabinet ministers who knew of the Pearl Harbor plan.

4. Tojo will say he ordered the court-martial of the Doolittle fliers because the bombing of Tokyo was an atrocity under international law.

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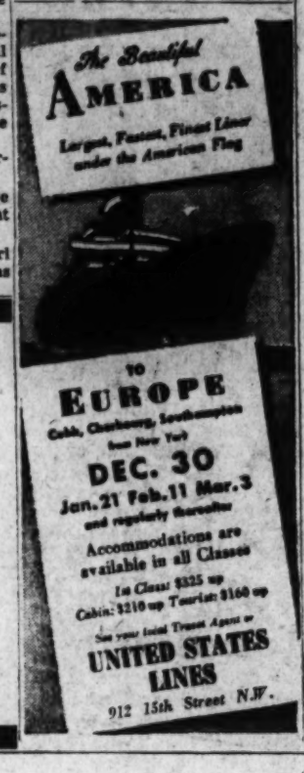

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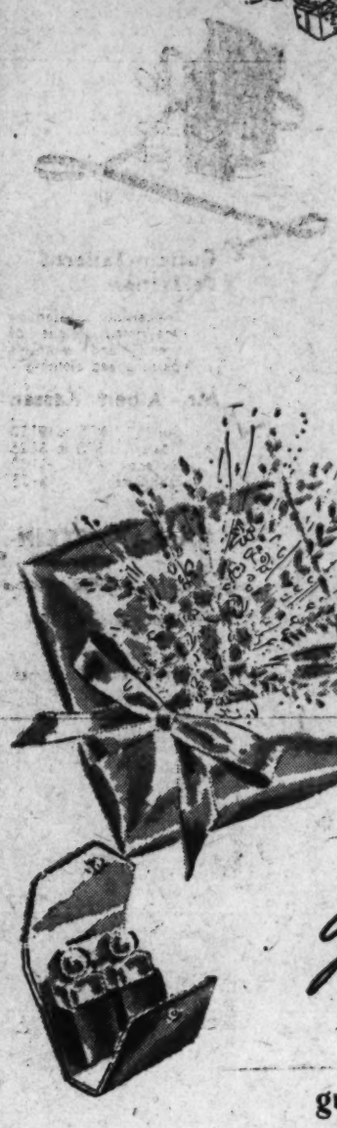

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Food Export Plans Suffer Body Blow

Final Grain Report Shows Earlier Estimates 105 Million Bushels Too High

By The Associated Press

Administration plans to export 570 million bushels of grain to needy countries overseas were dealt a body blow yesterday, when the Crop Reporting Board made its final estimates for the year.

The December 1 estimate for the country's chief grain—wheat, corn and oats—is 105 million bushels below the November 1 estimate—five million bushels more than President Truman's food conservation drive was set up to save.

The final 1947 report, grain experts in the Department of Agriculture were quick to observe, casts new, grave, doubts upon the country's ability to meet a grain export goal of 570 million bushels for this crop year—the goal set by President Truman.

The final estimate for corn was 2400 million bushels, compared with 3249 million last year. The wheat crop, altheugh still the largest in history, was cut to 1364 million bushels—almost 42 million under the November estimate Oats dropped to 1215 million, compared with 1497 last year, and 1231 estimated in November.

The total yield this year is less than the total in 1942, 1944 and 1946, although above prewar figures.

Bright spots in the report were record crops of rice, peanuts, sugar beets and pears. Near record crops were registered in flaxseed, soybeans, hay, tobacco, peaches, grapes, citrus fruits and truck crops.

Apples, plums and prunes were about average. Crops below average included barley, rye, cotton, cowpeas, maple products, sweet potatoes, sugar cane, apricots and broom corn, as well as corn.

The total harvested acreage for 52 important crops was about 1 per cent more than last year.

1947 Chiefly Unfavorable

The department said the 1947 growing season must be described as chiefly unfavorable, even though fall-sown grains were produced under unfavorable to ideal conditions. The largest acreage of winter wheat in history was planted under excellent conditions, wintered well, received ample spring moisture and was harvested with little loss.

But spring rains and a mid-summer drought hindered production of many other crops, particularly in the Mid-West.

This year's production of four food grains—wheat, rye, rice and buckwheat—were the largest on record, but the outturn of the four feed grains—corn, oats, barley and grain sorghums—was the smallest since 1939.

Oil seed crops—soybeans, flaxseed, and peanuts—totaled nearly 12,400,000 tons compared with 11,200,000 last year and a 10-year average of 10,200,000.

Total food production this season was said to have been 4 per cent less than last season's record, but 20 per cent above average.

This Sailor's A Land-Lover

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

WILLIAM B. HOPKINS, Jr., of 218 11th st. sw., a merchant marine crewman aboard a mine sweeper which drifted 18 days in the South Pacific, said upon arrival in San Francisco yesterday that from now on he is "strictly a land-based sailor." Two other merchant seamen with Hopkins agreed. They were left behind when a Navy tug towing them to Manila ran low on fuel and went in to Palmyra Island. When the tug went back, its captain could not find the small craft and the sailors were missing until spotted by a Navy patrol bomber

7 Billion U. S. Surplus Seen

By The Associated Press

The Government, just moving into its heaviest tax collection period, may be seven billion dollars to the good by the end of March.

And there is a good chance it will be able to show that same budget surplus for the entire 1948 fiscal year when it ends next June 30. This would be far above the President's original official estimate of $4,667,000,000 which he will revise next month.

Already receipts have exceeded spending by more than 715 million dollars and officials said today another six billion dollars or so may be added during the next three and a half months.

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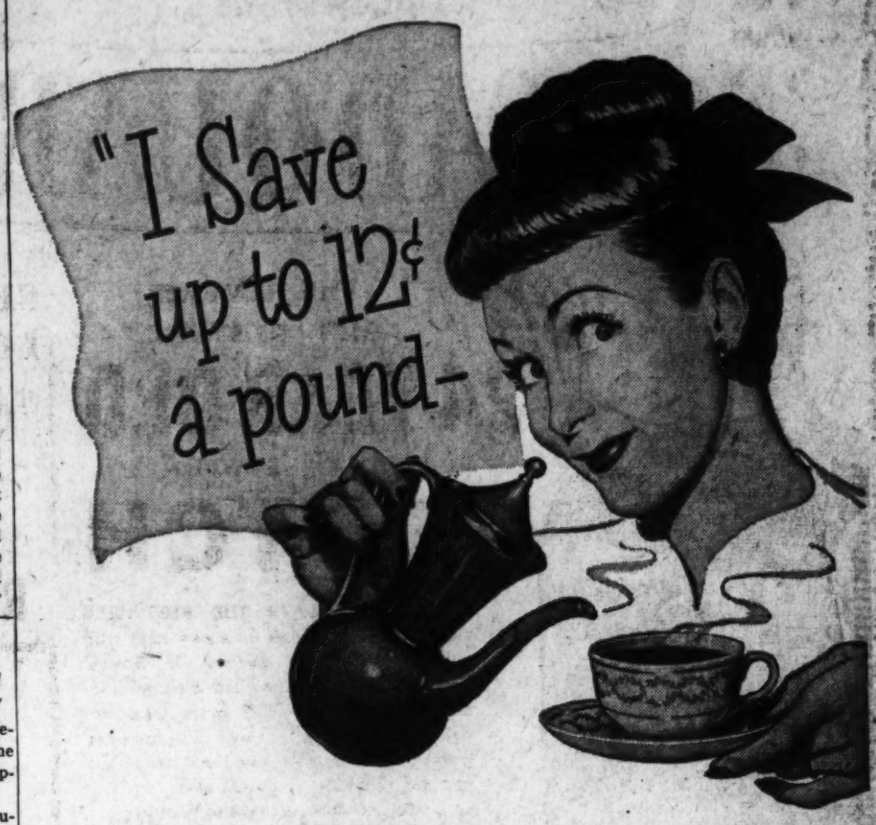

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DISTILL—*From Page 1*

Distillers Told To Cut Quotas

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Saving "Neutralized"

Anderson declared that the industry used only three million bushels of grain in September, but raised consumption to eight million bushels in October while negotiations were going on with President Truman's Citizens Food Committee for the shutdown.

Unlimited use of grain next month, he said, would "completely neutralize" any savings made by the 60-day shutdown.

A surprise of the meeting was the appearance of former Secretary of War Patternson as attorney for the Distilled Spirits Institute. Patterson offered the institute's compromise offer of 3,500,000 bushels monthly consumption.

Elderly Couple, Daughter, Slain; Husband Is Sought

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 17 (U.P.)—An elderly couple and their young daughter were found shot to death today in their home here and police broadcast a general alarm for the daughter's estranged husband, whom they described as "armed and believed very dangerous."

Police identified the dead as Raymond Ditmyer, 66; his wife, 64, and their daughter, Mrs. Loretta Osinski, 21, mother of two children. Coronor Paul Hohly said they had been dead since Saturday.

Police, who broke into the Ditmyer home, found the two Osinski children, 1-year-old John and Jimmie, 2, suffering from exposure and malnutrition.

Bill Raising Limit Of FHA Is Passed

The Senate approved yesterday and sent to the White House a bill increasing the mortgage insurance authority of the Federal Housing Administration by 750 million dollars.

Without debate, the Senate adopted a Senate-House conference report on the measure. It would make 250 million dollars of mortgage insurance available immediately, with President Truman authorized to release the remaining 500 million dollars.

The present ceiling for insurance of home construction mortgages is $4,200,000,000. It will be reached before pending applications have been processed, housing officials recently told congressional committees.

CONTROLS—*From Pg. 1*

Democrats Slow Inflation Bill

at a relatively early point after the Senate convenes at noon today.

But he could not, of course, guarantee that other Senators would not continue with more talk. Further, Barkley's other amendments, most relating to limiting the Taft bill's free and easy immunity from antitrust action against businessmen participating in voluntary agreements, were such as to invite more discussion.

Aim to Defeat Antitrust Waiver

And finally, Taft told reporters last night that Barkley had indicated that if his amendments failed, he might propose striking all of the antitrust waiver section from the Taft bill. This would provoke still more debate.

All in all, then, chances were slight that any legislation could emerge from the Senate at the "reasonable" hour today which the House demanded if it was to take the measure up tomorrow.

Taft said he personally would not agree to a delay in tomorrow's adjournment schedule, commenting that members of Congress had arrangements made to go home for Christmas and could not get new reservations if they delayed leaving.

"I think the Democrats have decided that they don't want anything passed," the Ohioan told reporters. "They can block this bill if they want to and I think they want to."

Amendments Have Little Chance

Democrats had little hope of seeing the first Barkley amendment, converting the Taft bill to a compulsory allocation measure, enacted. Nor was there any likelihood of their being able to defeat the antitrust law immunity provision in the Taft measure.

Their problem—one not decided by last night—was whether in the end to vote for the Taft bill or against it. It contained several measures requested by the President in his message to the special session on November 17. By voting against the bill, Democrats risked placing themselves in an unfavorable public light, in blocking a part of the anti-inflation program.

On the other hand, many saw in the antitrust relaxation provisions, a bear trap for the President. They feared that some business groups might formulate iniquitous agreements and present them to the President for the required approval.

In turning them down, Mr. Truman could be made the victim of some political hammering. For then it could be charged that he asked for some inducement for the making of voluntary agreements to channel scarce commodities more efficiently, but that when such agreements were concluded he rejected them.

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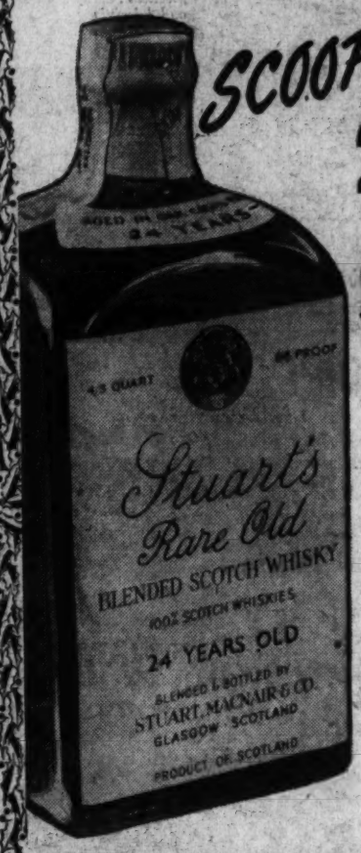

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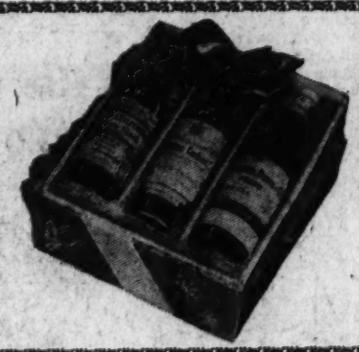

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Adm. Byrd Sees Freedom in Danger

By the United Press

Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd said yesterday that "freedom is in danger" and will be until the people of all nations learn to live together.

Byrd spoke at a press conference held by international leaders of the Moral Rearmament Association who are campaigning against Communism and other foreign ideologies by teaching what they call a positive, dynamic democracy.

Moral rearmament movement representatives are in the United States to attend a national assembly of the organization at Richmond, Va., December 27.

Byrd, noted Antartic explorer, said it is impossible to eliminate communism merely by being anti-Communist.

"You must have something positive to replace it and you must prove to people that it is better," he said.

Predicting that all nations will have the atomic bomb in five years, he said the United States must be strong militarily to hold down "power-mad" aggressors until people of all nations "can be taught to live together in this atomic age we human beings have created."

Harry Wickham, British labor leader, said the moral rearmament movement has increased coal production in England. He said it has brought new teamwork between management and labor, has given workers new incentive, and "has supplied a force to make democracy live."

Trophy-Winning Writers

AIR-MINDED PENMEN—Three Greater Washington men, winners in the tenth annual aviation writing contest sponsored by Trans World Airline, display their trophies. They are (from left) Eric Bramley of Auburn Gardens, Alexandria, executive editor of American Aviation Magazine, second prize winner in the book division; John H. Frederick of 9707 Bexhill dr., Kensington, professor of transportation at the University of Maryland, top prize winner in the same division; and James J. Strebig of 8315 16th st., Silver Spring, aviation editor of the Associated Press who won first prize in the open-class newspaper division for the third consecutive year. Cash awards amounting to $700 were also third consecutive year. Cash awards amounting to $700 were also also presented to the three by Dale Armstrong, TWA vice president, at a dinner in Paradise Inn, Phoenix, Ariz.

PALESTINE—From P. 1

Arabs Make Peace Offer

gionnaires be withdrawn from Palestine.

Telephone communications were cut between Jerusalem and the Negev, scene of large-scale Arab attacks, but military reports indicated the region was quiet.

Arab States Promise To Block Partition

Cairo, Egypt, Dec. 17 (U.P.)—Premiers of the seven Arab League states ended their deliberations here tonight with an official pledge to block partition of Palestine by every possible means, including war.

The premiers threatened to throw the full force of their armies into the "battle forced upon them and to prosecute the fight until victorious."

Partition Sabotaged, Jewish Agency Charges

New York, Dec. 17 (NYHT).—The Jewish Agency for Palestine charged here today that Britain is virtually sabotaging the United Nations decision to partition Palestine.

Jewish State To Copy Swiss On Neutrality

London, Dec. 17 (AP).—Dr. Nahum Goldman of the Jewish Agency Executive said in an interview today that Jewish legal experts working on a draft constitution for the projected Jewish Palestine state—which may be named Judea—have included a clause binding the country to neutrality on the Swiss model in any future world conflicts.

Dr. Goldman, who is en route from New York to Palestine to attend a general Zionist council January 15 on setting up the new state, said perpetual neutrality would be justified because millions of Jews would still remain scattered "in the eastern world as well as the western world."

A Jewish Agency commission said however a period of "indefinite" conflict with Arabs was foreseen and an army of at least 10,000 would have to be maintained to defend the country.

Dr. Goldman outlined these points in the interview:

Eliezer Kaplan, Jewish Agency treasurer, is now in the United States examining the prospects of raising a loan from the Export-Import and World Banks to capitalize national projects.

An economic and defense delegation of 50 American Jews will fly to Palestine in February to survey financial needs of the new state.

American Jews will be asked by the United Jewish Appeal to subscribe 250 million dollars to meet the new state's overseas needs, including 146 million dollars for defense.

World Jewry will be invited to subscribe to an internal loan.

Between 100,000 and 200,000 Jewish immigrants will be brought in by the end of 1950, with those now in European displaced persons camps being given priority.

The United States may be asked to sell or lend-lease ships for transporting them.

Jewish Palestine probably will remain in the sterling bloc.

The country will apply for United Nations membership as soon as possible, and may file a claim for reparations against Germany on account of the "murders, sufferings and persecutions" which Jews underwent.

Humrickhouse Approved

The Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday approved the nomination of George R. Humrickhouse to be United States attorney for the eastern district of Virginia. He now is serving under a recess appointment.

Building Shift Requested in School Strike

Parents of Browne Junior High School students on strike from classes asked the Board of Education yesterday to give their children either Eliot Junior High or Eastern High School buildings.

A dozen of the Negro parents appeared at a meeting of the board at the Franklin Administration Building, 13th and K sts. nw.

Parents have withheld their children from school since December 3 in protest against the use of two former white elementary schools, Blow, 19th st. and Benning rd. ne., and Webb, 15th and Rosedale sts. ne., as annexes to Browne.

Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, president of the board, referred their request to a committee on buildings and grounds, after telling the parents they should return their children to school.

The board voted to grant a request of the executive committee of the Browne P-TA to meet with a committee of the board. No date was set.

Superintendent of Schools Hobart M. Corning told the board that attendance at Browne, which dropped to 18 per cent on December 9, climbed back to 83.1 per cent Tuesday.

"There is still a serious attendance problem," Corning said. He pointed out that children are attending classes in the Browne building, 26th and Benning rd. ne., but boycotting Blow and Webb.

The school officer said that two rooms in each annex are now equipped with science tables, that nine additional teachers have been assigned, and that $2000 has been made available for textbooks.

Corning said a room-by-room check of Eastern and Eliot shows that the two schools cannot be consolidated tto free one of the buildings for Browne students.

Gardner Bishop, spokesman for the parents, said that the use of the annex buildings is "flagrantly fair" to Browne students.

SCHOOL—From Page 1

Dr. Bish Heads McKinley High

ern Maryland College and holds a master's degree and a doctorate from George Washington University.

He formerly taught chemistry at Western and Woodrow Wilson High Schools and was assistant principal of Roosevelt from 1936 to 1942. During the war he served as director of civilian training for the Adjutant General's office.

In other actions yesterday the board:

Authorized expansion of its furniture repair shop in the old Dent School to a public school maintenance shop.

Announced that Helen Keller will speak at its next meeting, January 7, and will tour schools January 8 and 9.

Bolling Field To Hold Finals In Photo Contest

Final exhibition and judging in the Army Air Forces photographic contest will be held at the Bolling Field Service Club at 8 p.m. today.

The entries, depicting the mission and duty of the Air Force, the AAF off duty, foreign countries and people and general pictorial photos, will be judged by Washington newsmen and photographers.

An invitation was extended to the general public yesterday by Brig. Gen. B. M. Hovey, commanding general of Bolling Field.

Judges for the finals will be: Hugh Miller, The Washington Post; T. H. Kalec, Times-Herald; Don Robinson, the Daily News; N. S. Sudduth, the Evening Star; George Gaylin, Acme; B. F. Foster, Associated Press and Jack Smith, International News Photo.

Full House

North Adams, Mass. (U.P.)—Arrival of twins worsened the housing problem of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Lescarbeau. They have 14 other children and a six-room apartment.

Odd Fellows Lodge Occupies New Home

Salisbury, Ind., Dec. 17 (AP).—Salisbury Odd Fellows took formal possession of their new $140,000 temple as the week-long observance of the tenth anniversary of the lodge continued today. The anniversary program will close tomorrow.

The new temple replaces one that burned down two years ago.

Industrial Gas Use Cut at Cumberland

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—The use of natural gas for industrial purposes has been curtailed 60 per cent in the Cumberland area with the supply partially shut off from three plants. The reduction was ordered by the Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Co. because of continued cold weather and the increased demand for gas for domestic purposes.

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Britain Agrees to ITO Equality of Voting

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 17 (U.P.)—Britain announced today its readiness to accept equality of voting in the proposed International Trade Organization, on the basis of one vote for each country.

A similar decision was announced two days ago by the United States delegation at the United Nations Conference on Trade and Employment here.

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Speculators' List Is Asked

both the dealers and the brokers handling the transactions.

Two special reports have been required during the year. In July the Commodity Exchange Authority called for a report for all dealings in corn on the Chicago Board of Trade as of June 30. In September it called for a similar report in all dealings in wheat on September 17, 18, 19 and 20 on the same exchange.

It was after the last report that Anderson said in Chicago: "I could call names—some of them prominent—of men who have been speculating in grain"—a statement that set off the present probe.

Anderson Lists Two Choices

Anderson, in his shirt-sleeves and looking worn and tired, yesterday greeted newsmen with obvious concern.

He promptly said he would answer the summons, and added: "I'll have to or be in contempt."

When someone asked him where he planned to spend the holidays, he grinned and replied:

"I have a favorite Christmas song: 'I'll be home for Christmas.'"

He remarked he had two choices: to "violate the law prohibiting disclosure of his records, or refusing to obey the subpena."

"I've had lots of advice," he remarked. "I don't know when I'll reach a decision."

Set Off a Week Ago

The turmoil over speculation in commodities was set off a week ago, at the close of a Senate Appropriations Committee hearing into Army supply policies in occupied areas, Chairman Bridges suddenly demanded of Secretary of the Army Royall a statement from each Army official and employe of their market operations.

The following day Harold E. Stassen, candidate for Republican nomination for President, revealed that he had asked Edwin W. Pauley, special assistant to Royall, about Pauley's speculations.

Pauley appeared before the committee Friday and revealed large dealings in grain, cottonseed oil, lard and hides, and demanded that other Government officials be called similarly to tell of their activities.

Early yesterday Senator Barkley (D., Ky.) introduced legislation to authorize Anderson to reveal the list of traders in commodities. His request for immediate consideration of his resolution was blocked by Senator Taft.

Served by Sergeant-at-Arms

The service of the subpena upon Anderson was as dramatic as the voting of it. The Senate sergeant-at-arms, Edward F. McGinnis, personally took the summons to Anderson's office.

While McGinnis was seated in Anderson's outer office, the Secretary appeared.

"I see I have visitors," Anderson greeted him.

When McGinnis handed the papers to Anderson, the latter asked:

"This is new to me. Do I have to sign anything?"

"No," was the brief reply, while photographers who had accompanied McGinnis flashed their bulbs.

"I usually send a clerk," McGinnis told newsmen, in explaining this was the first subpena he had ever served. "But since this was a Cabinet officer, I thought I'd come myself."

Vote on Subpena

Although Chairman Bridges refused to reveal to vote of the Appropriations Committee on the subpena, it was reported that only one Republican member voted against it—Senator Guy Cordon (Oreg.).

Republicans voting for the subpena were Chairman Bridges and Senators Homer Ferguson (Mich.), Chan Gurney (S. Dak.), Joseph Ball (Minn.), C. Wayland Brooks (Ill.), Clyde M. Reed (Kans.), Henry Dworshak (Idaho), William F. Knowland (Calif.) and Leverett Saltonstall (Mass.).

The following Democrats voted against the subpena: Kenneth C. McKellar (Tenn.), Carl Hayden (Ariz.), Elmer Thomas (Okla.), Richard Russell (Ga.), Pat McCarran (Nev.), Theodore F. Green (R. I.) and John H. Overton (La.).

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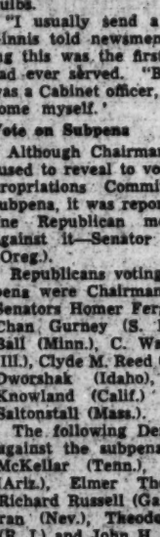

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Patricia

The victim, Patricia Ann Crouch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Crouch, was reported in critical condition in Prince Georges County Hospital last night.

She was found, her head nestled on a page of a child's picture book, by Patrolman Charles Nally of Marlboro police, ending a frantic search by police, firemen and neighbors.

Patricia, her parents said, disappeared shortly after she got off a school bus with her 6-year-old sister, Dorothy, at about 5 p. m., Tuesday.

The father reported her disappearance to police at 6:35 p. m. When last seen by her sister the child was headed in a direction opposite to the pasture, her father reported.

He said four horses and eight cows are normally kept in the pasture, several hundred feet from the Crouch home.

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It approved, after eliminating all preliminary references to "black markets," a resolution calling on the Public Works Committee to make the investigation and to determine the effect of the practices on public building programs.

The committee's action must be approved by the House itself.

The resolution calling for the inquiry was drafted by Representative Macy (R., N. Y.), and was aimed originally at "black markets."

But the "black market" reference was omitted when Representative Smith (D., Va.), pointed out that the expression is a misnomer since price controls were removed and that there is no law against getting as much as one can for his goods, provided that anti-trust laws aren't violated.

Author on Program

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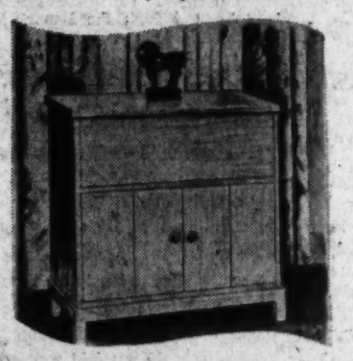

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The curative value of a mere fine for traffic offenses has never been demonstrated. Often the circumstances of the arrest are controversial, and the fine merely causes aggrieved feelings and a grudge against the police. Thus, to the extent that ignorance of the law is the cause of traffic offenses, the traffic school is an attempt to get at the root of the problem. Certainly it should be a welcome outlet for those offenders who recognize the tremendous responsibility involved in driving a car. Schooling alone, of course, is no guarantee against accidents caused by insufficient driving skill, physical defects or sheer lack of alertness. But the effect of the traffic school can be wholesome in that a thorough knowledge of regulations is likely to result in a more constant awareness on the part of the graduates.

Strip Tease

Business is business, as the saying goes, and there is no sense allowing ideologies to stand in the way of an advantageous deal. This eminently reasonable attitude appears to have characterized the editors of the New York *Daily Worker*, when as a part of a campaign to attract new readers and so hasten the downfall of the profit system and the triumph of the international proletariat, they sought to obtain publication rights to a well-known bourgeois comic strip called *The Nebbs*.

The Bell Syndicate, who are the purveyors of the strip, apparently took the position that although the opinions of the *Daily Worker's* editors may be scarlet, their money is just as orthodox as Colonel McCormick's. Anyway, the *Daily Worker* got the strip and the syndicate got its fees, and it was prematurely assumed that everybody was happy. Indeed, Mr. John L. Wheeler, head of the Bell Syndicate, issued a pious statement expressing a hope that *The Nebbs* would be the means of converting Communists from the heresies of Marx and Lenin to the sublime truths of Adam Smith and Herbert Spencer.

Alas, everyone was *not* happy. Mr. W. A. Carlson, the producer of the strip, was very unhappy, and told the syndicate that if it wanted him to keep on making the strip it must come out of the *Daily Worker*. Mr. Carlson got his way, and in the *Daily Worker* of December 9, Mr. George Marion, announcing the suspension of *The Nebbs*, placed the whole blame on "the Truman Doctrineers and the Marshall Planners."

Meanwhile, the *Daily Worker* had acquired rights to another strip, called *Reg'lar Fellers*, distributed by the Associated Newspapers Syndicate and drawn by Mr. Gene Byrnes. Mr. Byrnes, it appears, is no more pleased than Mr. Carlson by the notion of having his strip in the *Daily Worker*, but in his case the editors were adamant and insisted on the letter of their contract. The indignant Mr. Byrnes has threatened to fill the strip with Pegleresque Red-baiting propaganda, but the editors, who know their party associates better than Mr. Byrnes knows them, have invited Mr. Byrnes to do his worst.

So there the matter rests; and we fancy that many an old radical has been shocked by the shameful revelation of this swapping across the lines of the class war. How far a cry is the statement of Mr. Marion—that the editors of the *Daily Worker*, in order to keep Mr. Byrnes' strip, will take even the risk of being "won over to Wall Street and the National Association of Manufacturers"—from the grim and heroic spirit of the old Wobbly in the story.

This Wobbly, you will remember, was one of a group which was riding eastward in a boxcar, after having been chased out of some California town by the vigilantes. As the train was passing over the Rockies, one of the comrades standing by the sliding door at the side of the boxcar called to him:

"Hey Bill! Come look! Get an eyeful of these here mountains."

But Bill growled back angrily:

"Nobody's gonna get me to look at no dirty scab scenery."

GOP's China

Quite an array of witnesses was marshaled yesterday by the Senate Appropriations Committee in behalf of interim aid for Chiang Kai-shek's China. Heading the list was General Wedemeyer. The general's plea was based on the ground that Chiang is fighting Communists. The fact of the matter is that Chiang is fighting many elements in the population besides Communists. He is fighting, for instance, the Democratic League—the groups to which General Marshall, when he returned from his ill-fated mission, looked for salvation. Democratic Leaguers must have read with some wryness the comments of General Wedemeyer about Chiang Kai-shek. The general spent some time talking with them in Nanking. Some of them, according to Feng Yu-hsiang, paid for their courage with their lives. At any rate, as soon as General Wedemeyer had turned his back, the group itself was proscribed.

How American aid could rescue Chiang Kai-shek out of his present plight passes comprehension. As it is, his armies are serving as little more than delivery agents for American arms to the opposing armies. Yet Americans are expected to add to the flow in the name of anticommunism. Chiang Kai-shek, distrusting his generals, has decided to post with his division chiefs a sort of political commissar with the duty of keeping an eye on the commander and reporting direct to Nanking. In Nanking itself the same disaffection is reported. It is so rife that the clique around Chiang Kai-shek has decided not to act upon the recent election. Nothing could point up the utter confusion in China more than this decision. The Nanking correspondent of the *New York Times* reports gravely that the results of the election did not conform with preelection compacts made by parties in the coalition government which was erected by the Kuomintang this year "to impress Americans!"

Since 1911, when the Manchu dynasty of China collapsed, the great powers one after the other have sought to build up as tools successive strong men in China. The British were the pioneers in this kind of foreign policy. They backed the first President, Yuan Shi-kai, but his mandate with the Chinese people was canceled when he sought to be Emperor. The Japanese in their turn got behind what was called the Anfu clique headed by Tuan Chi-jui. Tuan had access to what was then called the notorious Nishihara loans, but no amount of money could consolidate Tuan's position. Sun Yat-sen, the father of the revolution, later reentered Chinese politics and Soviet Russia saw in him a champion. After he died, the Russians put their money on and actively and openly aided Chiang Kai-shek, but Chiang paid off by turning on his helpers and kicking them out of China.

Incidentally, it is quite untrue to say, as General Wedemeyer is reported to have said, that Chiang "always has opposed communism." For exactly 20 years, yes; but before then Sun Yat-sen sent him to Moscow in order to equip him as the Chinese end of the Chinese-Soviet liaison. And when Chiang marched north in 1927 his army was officered by Russians under Galens and Borodin. Now the American people are expected to bolster Chiang Kai-shek in the name of anticommunism. Strong man as tool! The lesson of experience is that by adopting the same policy since 1911 of Britain, Japan and the Soviet Union, the same fate would attend the United States. The payoff would be loss of money and loss of prestige in China, and plenty of both. Only Soviet Russia, watching the United States struggle in the same Chinese bog that she was in in 1927, would profit.

Strategy must govern America's diplomatic warfare as it did its physical warfare. Calculations must be based on a sober appraisal of the world situation and of America's limited resources. And the appraisal imposes choices on the United States. The United States can build up western Europe or China; it cannot do both together, except at the peril, to invert Mr. Bullitt's plea, of a "piecemeal dissipation of our resources." It was evident from the testimony yesterday that those who during the war wanted to beat the Japanese first are precisely those who now want to save Chiang Kai-shek first. Surely the Hitler-first strategy, in spite of what Mr. Judd may say, proved to be wise. For the same reasons it would be unwise to let China take western Europe's place as the first object of America's attention. It is later than it seems in western Europe and sooner than it seems in China.

China's turn will come, for, of course, China cannot be disregarded. When that time comes, the same technique of aid, if any regard is to be had for the American taxpayer, must be followed. The technique is help for self-help—the Marshall Plan. The course of wisdom is to wait for Mr. Marshall to unfold his Plan for China—China's China, not Chiang's China and certainly not the GOP's China. China is a problem, not a racket.

To Name Or Not

Legitimate doubt exists as to whether Secretary Anderson is empowered under existing law to disclose the names of all traders on the grain and commodity exchanges. Since legal opinions differ, the easiest way to settle the issue would be for Congress to pass the joint resolution requested by the Secretary specifically authorizing him to transmit the names of speculators. It is a misfortune that Senator Taft chose to block such action. It would have been far wiser than the decision of Republican leaders to subpena the Secretary and question him on what he feels he has no right to disclose.

We hope that the information, if obtained, will be held confidential insofar as private citizens are concerned. For governmental regulation of private business, whether it be organized speculation or any other type of activity, is greatly hampered if the regulatory authorities are forced to publicize the names of those concerned and possibly subject them to undeserved criticism. Organized speculation in the commodity markets is not illegal; moreover, it serves a useful purpose by enabling producers and processors to insure themselves against loss from fluctuations in prices of the commodities dealt in on the exchanges. Consequently, private operators who conform with the regulations are entitled to have their privacy respected. Their names should not be shouted from the housetops as if they were public enemies, or cited by congressional investigators as warning examples.

If the list of speculators contains the names of Federal employes in any branch of the Government who might have the benefit of inside information, that is another matter. Such insiders are definitely unfit to occupy positions of trust in the Government services. Their names should be made known and they should be promptly dismissed.

Invitation To Default

Chairman Taber of the House Appropriations Committee defends the 88-million-dollar cut in the sums allotted to France and Italy for emergency relief on very specious grounds. The 66 million dollars lopped from the 328 million dollars that France had requested to finance purchases of foodstuffs, fuel and a few essential raw materials can, he explains, be provided by France herself. That is true if France is willing to default in her interest payments on the loan recently secured from the Export-Import Bank, if she withholds payments due to Belgium and Brazil for imports, fails to make a contribution to the International Monetary Fund required to make her eligible for applications to that agency and dispenses with the 10 million dollars required to maintain her diplomatic establishments abroad. If France is willing to do all this, she can, with the resources at her own disposal, plus the amounts allowed her in the relief bill, cover her essential food and material requirements.

Similarly, Italy might scrape together an additional 22 million dollars to offset the reduction in the Italian relief appropriation by withholding payments on war claims of United States citizens, payments due on an Export-Import Bank loan, interest on a United States surplus property credit and by cutting out various diplomatic expenditures. Mr. Taber argues that since France and Italy could obtain 88 million dollars additional by defaulting on these claims and obligations, we should, in effect, be paying the debts of both countries by voting the full amounts requested for relief purposes.

The answer to this mischievous perversion of facts is obvious. Mr. Taber is really issuing invitations to France and Italy to become defaulters in order to supplement inadequate aid. Furthermore, since a large part of the foreign payments in question are due to the United States, or its citizens, the savings effected by cutting required appropriations would be offset to a considerable extent by losses of interest. Withholding payments due Belgium and Brazil on commercial account likewise would deprive France in future of imports desperately needed. Finally, default on payments to the Export-Import Bank would, as Representative Cannon points out, set a disastrous precedent. And presumably this country does not wish to deprive France of access to the Monetary Fund and to destroy her credit with the International Bank. (In brief, if Mr. Taber had his way the foreign relief program would hamstring the program for European recovery at the very start.)

Appropriations for occupation, also carried in the House bill, have been reduced by more than 50 per cent. But that is not especially alarming, since Mr. Taber promises to take up the subject of occupation costs at the next session after the agreement with Great Britain regarding division of such costs becomes effective. At that time additional appropriations to cover costs for the full year will be considered.

Unfortunately, action on the interim aid program authorizing the expenditure of 597 million dollars came so late in the special session that the appropriation bill had to be hurriedly introduced, without affording an opportunity for public discussion or, for that matter, opportunity to acquaint the public with its contents. This is by no means the first time that the Taber Committee has intervened to thwart the will of Congress by slashing appropriations without giving the public or members of Congress an opportunity to study its proposals in advance and register protests.

HIGH NOON

Hushed in green summer's brooding heat
Leaves hang listless. No bird calls.
In crevice and hole the crickets sleep.
Grasshoppers hide by the mossy walls.
Daisy, Queen Anne's lace, tangles of vetch
Vary the motionless waves of grasses.
Only the sun's wide shadow of clouds
Moves with high gliding cumulus masses . . .
Dark ships of flowering seas that pass
High over field and tree and boulder.
Quiet of summer noon is here,
Resting with us, warm shoulder to shoulder.

EDNAS L. S. BARKER.

"Does He Know The Homes Of All The Boys and Girls All Over The World?"

Letters To The Editor

Communications must be addressed to the editor and must carry the complete name and street address of the writer, though pen names will be permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters of less than 200 words will be given preference, and all letters are subject to condensation. No communication can be returned.

"Marshall Or Royall"

There is no difference of opinion between General Marshall and myself as to the prescribed level of industry for Germany and the related reparations program.

In connection with your editorial of December 13 entitled "Marshall or Royall," you will find in reviewing the record of the hearing that I and my associates put forward and vigorously supported all the arguments which your editorial cites in support of the continuation of reparations deliveries to the western nations.

I did, however, state that nothing the committee had said in connection with reparations deliveries to the East gave me any displeasure, although I considered that open discussion of this problem should await the termination of the London Conference. This was the "thesis" with which I was in agreement.

KENNETH C. ROYALL,
Secretary of the Army.
Washington.

"Citizens Associations"

Your editorial of December 12, "Citizens Associations," was read with a great deal of interest and pleasure.

The question arises in my mind as to whether the "Federation of Citizens Associations can serve the community effectively only in the degree to which it affords a medium of expression and activity to all elements in the community's life." If the various elements in a community express opinions and those opinions are consistent with growth and betterment of the community, then those opinions should be applauded and considered seriously by all thinking men.

But consider those members in a community who have no other aim than to undermine the very Government which protects them. We need only look across the seas to France and Italy and other European countries to see how minority elements, once given a voice, can grow to such proportions as to be a real menace to the mother government.

The very elements that threaten European countries and that have already overtaken the Balkan countries of Bulgaria, Yugoslavia, etc., are seeking to gain a foothold in America. Let us take firm steps to guard our democratic principles. But let us not be foolish enough to allow our democratic freedoms to be used by subversive elements who seek only to deprive us of those very freedoms by replacing them with dictatorship and servitude.

SOTERIOS NICHOLSON.
Washington.

Naylor Gardens

The so-called Veterans Cooperative Housing Association has notified the residents of the Government-owned housing project of Naylor Gardens that it will request the Government to become a partner to the mass eviction of a majority of present occupants by reneging on the promises made by the Government and voluntarily agreed to by VCHA. The original contract between the Government and VCHA stipulated that VCHA must have substantially 300 member occupants (40 per cent occupancy) and that in the event they did take over, present occupants would be protected for the duration of rent control.

The law firm of Arnold, Fortas and Porter was retained by the Naylor Gardens Citizens Association to protect the rights of present residents. Their fee was raised by, voluntary contributions from among present residents only, including some who are members of VCHA. No outside help was solicited or received. The residents put their faith in the guaranteed word of the United States Government and merely request that the terms of the contract be enforced. The VCHA does not have anywhere near 300 occupant members stipulated, and now not only does it wish the Government to waive that clause but also ignore the occupancy protective clause.

Present residents have taken the word of the Government at its face value. They should have every reason to expect the Government to live up to its part of the bargain. We do not ask for any more than was agreed upon by VCHA a year ago.

NAYLOR RESIDENTS,
Washington.

Our Error

A news story in *The Washington Post* of December 13 referred to Texas as "the State where loco weed or marijuana grows abundantly."

It would be interesting to know when and under what circumstances loco weed (*astragalus mollissimus*) and marijuana (*cannabis sativa* or *cannabis indica* or Indian hemp) became one and the same thing.

CLAUDE N. PALMER.
Washington.

School Picketing

I believe that the parents who are picketing the schools are doing their children a disservice. They are keeping the children out of school illegally. The law demands that children must attend school regularly, unless ill. Thus they are teaching their children disrespect for the law by breaking one. This weakens the efficacy of the law. Yet they are calling on the law to guarantee to them the things which they are claiming as their due.

This method breeds confusion in the minds of the young and of the not so young. I myself am very confused about the real issue.

How can they demand rights from the law when they do not respect and uphold the law? The true issue seems to be nonsegregation. The use or nonuse of old school buildings, which were good enough for the white children until a few months ago, seems to be a secondary issue.

If the true issue is nonsegregation, these parents are picketing in the wrong place. Segregation in the District schools is a law passed by Congress. The Board of Education has no power to reinterpret this law, or so I understand.

LAURA K. POLLOCK.
Washington.

Church And State

In your November 27 editorial eulogy of the late Archbishop James H. Ryan, you stated that he and his near-namesake, the late Monsignor John A. Ryan, "were not dissimilar in temperament and represented almost identical points of view." You then pointed out that, on the occasion of your October 17 "Faith and Freedom" editorial, Archbishop Ryan had written for your editorial page that Catholics "accept . . . all the constitutional principles on which American democracy is based, including the separation of church and state as embodied in the first amendment. We see . . . the political wisdom of what you rightly call this 'guarantee against governmental molestation of, or favoritism to, any religious sect'; and we regard its observance as a moral duty, binding on all citizens as on Government."

Your editorial and his letter appeared shortly after your publication of AP dispatches from Boston quoting Catholic Archbishop Cushing as saying that "Catholics . . . live their lives completely confident of the perfect harmony between their duties as Catholics and their duties as Americans" and that "American Catholics rejoice in our separation of church and state; they can conceive of no combination of circumstances likely to arise, which should make a union desirable either to church or state" and as decrying Protestant charges that "there is a fundamental antagonism between Catholicism and Americanism."

It seems deeply regrettable that, with the sources of information open to you, you should apparently accept such statements from the Catholic hierarchy at face value. Even a casual reference to the basic doctrines of Catholicism should indicate that such statements anent the 'separation of church and state' are merely expediencies aimed at lulling fears. I offer the following excerpts from *Catholic Principles of Politics*, a Catholic textbook bearing the indorsement of Cardinal Spellman, and of which the aforementioned Monsignor John A. Ryan was coauthor:

"Gregory XVI in his Encyclical Letter 'Mirari vos', of date August 15, 1832, inveighed with weighty words against the sophisms, which even at his time were being publicly inculcated—namely, that no preference should be shown for any particular form of worship; that it is right for individuals to form their own personal judgments about religion; that each man's conscience is his sole and all-sufficing guide; and that it is lawful for every man to publish his own views, whatever they may be . . .

"The separation of church and state, which obtains substantially in the majority of countries, is generally understood as forbidding the state to make 'a public profession of religion.' Nevertheless, the logic of Pope Leo's argument is unassailable. Men are obliged to worship God, not only as individuals, but also as organized groups.

"But Pope Leo goes further. He declares that the state must not only 'have care for religion,' but recognize the *true* religion. This means the form of religion professed by the Catholic Church. It is a thoroughly logical position. If the state is under moral compulsion to profess and promote religion, it is obviously obligated to profess and promote only the religion that is true; for no individual, no group of individuals, no society, no state is justified in supporting error or in according to error the same recognition as to truth.

"In his encyclical on 'Catholicity in the United States,' the same Pope gave generous praise to the attitude of our Government and the laws toward religion, but immediately added: '. . . but she (the Catholic Church) would bring forth more abundant fruits if, in addition to liberty, she enjoyed the favor of the laws and the patronage of public authority.'

"Suppose that the constitutional obstacle to proscription of non-Catholics has been legitimately removed and they themselves have become numerically insignificant: what then would be the proper course of action for a Catholic state? Apparently, the latter state could logically tolerate only such religious activities as were confined to the members of the dissenting group. It could not permit them to carry on general propaganda nor accord their organization certain privileges that had formerly been extended to all religious corporations, for example, exemption from taxation.

". . . we shall continue to profess the true principles of the relations between church and state, confident that the great majority of our fellow-citizens will be sufficiently realistic to see that the danger of religious intolerance toward non-Catholics in the United States is so improbable and so far in the future that it should not occupy their time or attention."

HOLTON R. SMALL.
Hyattsville, Md.

People's Voice At Geneva

By Malvina Lindsay

Phrases Of Freedom

NO ONE can tell whether any eternal phrases of freedom, such as "liberty, equality, fraternity," "all men are created equal," "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," "we the people," have been forged at Geneva in the international Declaration of Human Rights.

But there is a good chance some expressions and ideas formulated there will echo down the years. The vitality of the movement for a world bill of rights indicates this may be part of another historic ground swell of human dignity.

At the San Francisco birth of the United Nations, a spontaneous demand developed to have the Charter emphasize human rights. At first some delegates and diplomats scoffed. That was all very fine and idealistic, they said, but the job at hand was to set up machinery for keeping the peace. It was a time to be hard-headed and practical.

But the concern with human rights persisted and was written into the United Nations Charter. It led to the establishment, at the first General Assembly, of a Nuclear Commission on Human Rights. Almost immediately there was talk of a bill of rights for mankind.

Again some delegates scoffed. Wouldn't such a document be merely a collection of high-flown words? Was the world ready for such a visionary venture?

BUT THE plan for expressing mankind's aspirations for freedom would not down. By the time the drafting committee was appointed all the big five nations—some of whom had been at first indifferent—wanted representation on it. Now at Geneva members of the commission have worked out a general draft of a document to be presented to the General Assembly in September, 1948.

Fittingly, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt presented this country's concise, 10-point proposals. As the American representative, first on the nuclear, then on the full commission, she has become a world symbol of the movement. Through all the difficult negotiations her unfailing self-control, firmness and patience have kept sessions from degenerating into squabbles.

The human appeal of the project is evidenced by the devoted work expended on the American proposals. For this short simple draft, written so that children may memorize it, was not dashed off in a frenzy of inspiration, nor "batted out" by a hack writer. Its development corresponds in some ways to that of the Constitution of the United States, which was based on James Madison's 20 years of study of men's past efforts to govern themselves.

Previously the United Nations Secretariat had explored how throughout the world men had expressed their ideas in constitutions and treaties about their fundamental liberties. From these studies 46 basic rights claimed by human beings had been listed.

USING THESE as background and the American Bill of Rights as a model, a committee from the Departments of State, Justice, Labor, Interior, and the Federal Security Agency worked for about eight months on the American proposals. It held 33 formal meetings, innumerable informal ones. Members gave their energy, thought, leisure, some even their vacations, to work out slowly and painfully the words that would best express men's aspirations for free, satisfying lives. The draft was kept "no longer than a decalogue" as a Soviet member of the Human Rights Commission had suggested early in the negotiations. Before its completion it was gone over by 150 laymen representing varying groups of citizens.

How much of it will get into the final draft is doubtful. But at least the American proposals represent another step in American thinking about human aspirations. They add to the fundamental political freedoms of the Constitution the rights to health, education, social security and decent living.

All of the proposals discussed at Geneva indicate that the people of the world may be trying to make one of their periodic pronouncements of history. These may be made in varying tongues, according to differing conceptions of liberty. But out of them eventually are likely to come words that will stir men everywhere to seek freer, fuller lives.

Incendiary General

Under the heading "Drop Atom Bombs in Russian Wilds" suggestions made by Marine General Holland M. Smith were published on the front page of your issue of December 7.

The action urged by General Smith grossly misrepresents the generous and courageous spirit of the Marine Corps.

It is unbelievable that one who witnessed the baptism of fire at Belleau Wood in World War I and who commanded our brave Marines in the Pacific in World War II could be guilty of such incendiary utterances.

With a world bled white and crying for peace, with the Council of Foreign Ministers in London engaged in a momentous struggle for the survival of civilization, with the United Nations not yet out of its cradle, the remarks made by General Smith are ill-timed.

If, in order to survive, fame must feed on infamy, then, indeed, it were better to be "consigned to oblivion" as Raymond Swing so aptly expressed the manner in which our great Marine hero, Evans Carlson, was laid to rest.

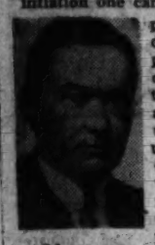
JULIA N. MATTHEWS
Washington.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Deadline On Inflation

IN ALL quarters directly responsible for enacting and operating a program to deal with the inflation one can observe a disposition not to demand very passionately, or to oppose too dogmatically, any of the measures which are under discussion. Considering what is ultimately at stake, the political temperature is as yet remarkably low.



Lippmann

THAT IS due to the fact that no one is so sure he is right that he is ready to force his views on those who disagree with him. The Administration, for example, realizes that if its measures for allocation, priorities, and rationing were adopted against the opposition of most of the business community and of the Republican Party, they would be unworkable. It would be dangerous to have these powers if they could not be used successfully. The Republicans, on the other hand, realize that to refuse these powers would be dangerous, too. For then if the inflation gets out of hand and brings on an economic crisis, they will be the popular scapegoats.

So it is also in the argument between Mr. Eccles and the commercial bankers. Mr. Eccles is not in the least inclined to impose extraordinary measures of credit control on the bankers, and then to assume the whole responsibility for the painful consequences of deflation. The bankers, on the other hand, are increasingly aware that they must protect themselves against becoming responsible for the ever-increasing inflation of bank credit.

ALL THIS hesitation and reluctance might, of course, lead only to indecision, inaction, and so far as the inflation goes to a policy of let her rip. But it can also lead to an agreed national policy—which is the only kind of policy that can be made to work.

The hesitation and the reluctance can fairly be ascribed not to timidity but to honest doubt. Those who understand the problem best know that there is no panacea, that the inflation is so far advanced that no painless method exists of escaping all the consequences. They know too that all the measures which can be applied—those to control goods in short supply and above all those to deal with the monetary inflation—are hard to handle. They realize, as a friend of mine, who is a great authority in these matters, has put it that "no money managers have ever yet stopped an inflation without bringing on a deflation," and yet that is the very thing which has now to be attempted.

IT CAN only be attempted if there is an agreed policy—one to which both parties, as well as the fiscal authorities in the Government and the banking community, are committed in advance. For no one can assume, and no one should be asked to assume, the dangerous responsibility of checking the inflation unless that responsibility is shared by all who must participate in the work.

Then the chances of success will be greater because there will be cooperation. The burden of responsibility will be lighter because no one can stand apart and pretend that he could have done better.

AGREEMENT which requires the patient and persistent reconciliation of different views takes time. We have a little time—about three months. For during the first quarter of 1948 the Treasury will through its tax revenues take in a large surplus over outgo—perhaps as much as seven billions, and if it pursues its policy of using the surplus to retire Government bonds held by the banks, it will during this period be able to exert pressure against the expansion of bank credit. Temporarily the inflation will be checked.

The next critical period will therefore begin in the spring—when the Treasury's surplus has been used up and when, as is probable, farm products will be short. That will be the time when the monetary controls and the allocating authority will be needed. If we are prudent we shall regard March 15 as the deadline for the adoption of an agreed national program. Until then the key men and the political leaders can negotiate and debate. But it is essential that shortly after March 15 they be prepared to act, and that the country should have been braced to withstand the effects of their acting.

THE INFLATION is already so far advanced, and the costs of production have already been raised so high, that the readjustment will be painful. But the American economy today is undoubtedly capable of making the readjustment without a catastrophic or a prolonged depression. There are supports under the American economy which can cushion the effect, and there are at once a capacity to produce and an unsatisfied demand which can carry the country beyond the readjustment.

But if the inflation lifts us to still higher levels of prices, costs, and debts, then the readjustment may indeed be catastrophic when it comes. Inevitably it will come. For that reason our public men have a clear duty—which is to reconcile their differences and to adopt an agreed program of monetary and physical controls during the next three months.

Yesterday and Today in Congress

TODAY

Senate

Meets at noon.

Committees

FOREIGN RELATIONS, exec., 10 a. m. Smith-Mundt bill; Foreign Relations Committee room, Capitol.

BANKING AND CURRENCY, exec., 10:30 a. m. Price Moratorium bill; room 301, Senate Office Bldg.

EXPENDITURES IN THE EXECUTIVE DEPTS., exec., 10 a. m. Army Sugar Purchase Program, Calendar; 337, S.O.B.

RULES SUBCMTE., exec., 2 p. m., Maryland Election Contest; 104-B, S.O.B.

ARMED SERVICES SUBCMTE., open, 10 a. m., Disposition of Hungarian horses; 212, S.O.B.

APPROPRIATIONS FULL COMMITTEE, open, 9:30 a. m., on Commodity Speculation; caucus room, S.O.B.

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCMTE., open, 9 a. m., Bureau of Reclamation funds; Appropriations room, Capitol.

House

Meets at noon.

Committees

APPROPRIATIONS, exec., 10 a. m., Subcmte. on Independent Offices.

EXPENDITURES IN THE EXECUTIVE DEPTS. open, 10 a. m., Hoffman Subcmte. investigating aeronautical training in colleges and universities under the GI Act; 1501, New Bldg.

POST OFFICE AND CIVIL SERVICE, open, 10 a. m., Katherine St. George Subcmte. to consider rate making procedures for the Postal Service; 215, Old Bldg.

VETERANS AFFAIRS, open, 10 a. m., on Veterans Homestead Act of 1948, and 19 other bills; 356, Old Bldg.

INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE, exec., 2 p. m., to confer with representatives of petroleum industry and government witnesses on the fuel shortage; 1334, New Bldg.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Debated GOP anti-inflation bill; approved amendment to limit or shut off grain supplies to distillers; received administration amendment to authorize compulsory allocation of scarce industrial materials.

Passed by voice vote and sent to the House bill to reimpose controls on consumer credit.

Completed congressional action on bill authorizing the FHA to insure an additional 750 million dollars in housing mortgages.

Heard Lodge criticize WAA for urging industries to move from one section of the country to another.

Received Barkley joint resolution authorizing the Agriculture Secretary to make public the names of all speculators on the commodity exchanges.

Received Pepper bill to restore personal income tax exemptions to 1939 levels.

Recessed at 5:42 p. m.

House

Passed by voice vote and sent to the Senate $773,202,000 third supplemental appropriations bill providing 300 million dollars for interim foreign aid, 230 million dollars for occupation expenses and 33 million dollars for reclamation projects.

Approved conference report on bill authorizing the FHA to insure an additional 750 million dollars in housing mortgages.

Received Combs resolution for joint congressional investigation of commodities trading by Federal officials and members of Congress.

Received Havenner joint resolution requiring Secretary of Agriculture to provide names of all government officials who have dealt on the commodity exchanges in 1947.

Received Bennet resolution providing special education fund for Finnish students to be established with future payments on Finnish war debt.

Adjourned at 5 p. m.

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Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Just a minute, Mr. Winterbottom and I'll start you off."

Loyalty Cases

A Communication

Editor's note: The following communication is identical to one submitted to the *New York Herald Tribune* by the author, Mr. Benjamin V. Cohen. Mr. Cohen sent a copy to *The Washington Post* because of its interest in the loyalty cases.

The *New York Herald Tribune* is to be congratulated upon the fine service rendered by its correspondent, Mr. Bert Andrews, in his reporting of the recent Government loyalty cases. Mr. Andrews' stories were also published in *The Washington Post*.

There is still danger, however, in the thought which seems widespread that all the difficult problems presented by the loyalty cases can readily be solved by the provision for fair hearings before a loyalty board or a loyalty review board. Too little attention has been given to the question of how the requirements of the Government for security and the requirements of the individuals concerned for fair play can in practice be reconciled. It is important to avoid confusing the two separate but related problems which are involved in these loyalty cases. One is the problem of protecting the integrity of the Government services where the security of the United States may be affected; the other is the determination of individual guilt or shortcoming.

Where the security of the United States is really concerned, any reasonable doubt ought to be resolved in a way that will protect the integrity of the Government service. While it should not be possible to drive an official from public service simply by spreading rumors that he is a Communist or an associate of a Communist, there may be cases even where the responsible head of a department or the department's loyalty board is convinced of the trustworthiness of an individual and still the cloud of substantial suspicion that hovers about the individual makes it highly inexpedient to continue that individual in a strategic security position.

On the other hand, no individual should be stigmatized as disloyal or even as a poor security risk if there is any reasonable doubt as to his culpability. The branding of an individual as disloyal or a poor security risk may affect his life and livelihood no less seriously than his conviction for a serious crime.

A FAIR hearing in itself provides no easy way of reconciling the vital interests of the Government and the vital interests of the individual. We must deliberately seek to develop procedure which will make it possible to protect the integrity of the service without stigmatizing individuals as disloyal or untrustworthy or even as being reasonably suspected of disloyalty or untrustworthiness.

The branding or punishment of individuals for disloyalty or breach of trust should be left for the courts where the accused, in accordance with our common law traditions, can be given the benefit of a jury trial and of every reasonable doubt.

Any individual in the Government service who is satisfactorily performing his duties ought to have the right to resign without prejudice unless the evidence of disloyalty is such as to warrant prosecution by the Department of Justice. The duty of responsible administrative officials is to protect the integrity of the Government service, not to punish guilt or to proclaim suspicion.

IF THE responsible administrative head of a department or agency receives evidence of the disloyalty or untrustworthiness of an employe in a strategic position—that is, an employe who has power to make or influence decisions or has access to information which may affect the security of the United States—he should, of course, before taking final action, fully inform the employe of the charges against him and give him the opportunity to be heard with an appeal to a review board if the employe wishes it. But such proceedings, like grand jury proceedings, should be secret.

If the individual under suspicion is able to satisfy the administrative head that the charges against him are unfounded and that his continuance in the service would not be inimical to the best interests of the service, that should, of course, settle the matter. But if the individual under suspicion cannot meet this obviously onerous burden and the evidence against him is not such as to warrant prosecution by the Department of Justice, he should be given the right to resign without prejudice. If he does not do so, he should be transferred to a clearly nonstrategic position or his employment should be terminated without prejudice.

Unless some such procedure is adopted, it will be difficult to protect adequately the security of the United States and at the same time protect adequately the traditional rights of the individual.

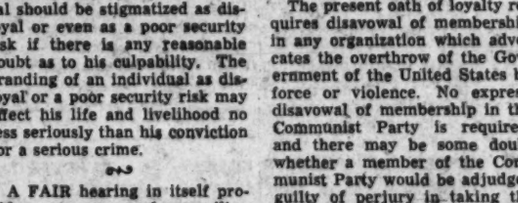
The Government employes in strategic security positions may be fairly large in absolute numbers and they may range through segments of quite a number of departments and agencies, yet they are a relatively small part of the total Government personnel. Individual investigation of the loyalty and trustworthiness of employes in strategic security positions is not only warranted, but is necessary. It is extremely difficult, however, to see the need for individual loyalty investigations of the myriads of other Government employes who clearly do not fall within that category. The annulment of Civil Service Rule I adopted in 1884 forbidding inquiry into the political opinions or affiliations of applicants is regrettable.

EVERY Government employe now takes an oath of loyalty. If he swears falsely, he can or should be subject to prosecution for perjury. Dragnet efforts to determine by administrative process individual loyalty offends the spirit if not the letter of the Bills of Rights.

The present oath of loyalty requires disavowal of membership in any organization which advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence. No express disavowal of membership in the Communist Party is required, and there may be some doubt whether a member of the Communist Party would be adjudged guilty of perjury in taking the oath. If the Congress is willing to leave that issue to the courts, well and good. But if the Congress insists on going further and intends to make membership in the Communist Party or knowing and active participation in its work an absolute bar to Government employment, it should require an express disavowal of such membership or activities in the loyalty oath. In any event, violation of the oath should be judicially and not administratively determined. No administrative tribunal should be given the right to adjudge an American citizen disloyal to his country.

We must see that those to whom matters vitally affecting the security of the United States are intrusted are unquestionably loyal and trustworthy. But let us take care that in the name of security we do not walk roughshod over the Bill of Rights and exclude or drive from Government those with inquiring, nonconforming minds. In these critical days we need in Government men and women who are not only loyal and trustworthy but who are alert and resourceful. Let us not wholly ignore the wise admonition of Thomas Jefferson, even though in his day he might have been accused of evil associations: "If there be any among us who would wish to dissolve this Union or change its republican form, let them stand undisturbed as monuments of the safety with which error of opinion my be tolerated where reason is free to combat it."

BENJAMIN V. COHEN.
Washington.



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Resources Board and RFC Differ on U. S. Rubber Plants

By Marshall Andrews
Post Reporter

Directly opposing views on disposal of Government-owned synthetic rubber plants are held by two important Federal agencies, recent testimony before a House subcommittee has revealed.

The National Security Resources Board feels these plants should be turned over to private industry as soon as possible. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation, which now controls them, is equally sure they should be retained by the Government at least "a year or two years."

At present the Government has 22 such plants in operation by private industry under lease; 16 are on a standby basis; and 13 have been declared surplus, of which five styrene plants have been sold. One of these, at Texas City Tex., was purchased by the Monsanto Chemical Corp., and was lost in the fire there last April.

Arthur M. Hill, chairman of the National Security Resources Board, told a subcommittee of the House Armed Services Committee it was his "personal" and "informal" belief the plants should be disposed of as soon as possible. He said the board had considered the question and had unanimously agreed on a recommendation which was made to President Truman.

Believes Truman in Accord

Hill said he had talked with the President and believed he was "generaly in accord" with Hill's own conclusions. These were, he said:

1. In addition to stockpiles of natural rubber, there should be maintained in the interests of national security a domestic rubber-producing industry sufficient to meet military and essential civilian needs.

2. Permanent legislation providing that a least one third of general purpose rubber production should be synthetic.

3. The total operating and standby capacity should be not less than 600,000 tons annually.

4. A framework should be established "with appropriate safeguards" for transfer of Government-owned synthetic facilities by sale or lease to private industry with facilities for 600,000 tons annual capacity maintained in standby condition by the Government.

"Sooner the Better"

Hill told the subcommittee, of which Representative Shafer (R., Mich.) is chairman, he believed American industry "is pretty capable of doing a good job, and that under this type of plan that American industry when it was turned loose on its own, with every competitive incentive, would do a better job." He added that he felt "the sooner we dispose" of Government plants, "the better it will be for all concerned."

Chairman John D. Goodloe of the board of directors of RFC disagreed flatly with Hill. He told the subcommittee the RFC saw "no reason to hurry up the disposition of these plants."

"We all recognize," he added, "that ultimately they must be, if they can be on a satisfactory basis, placed in private operation."

Value Called Uncertain

Under questioning by Representative Johnson (D., Tex.), Goodloe said categorically he knew of no economic, security, operating or business reasons why the plants should be turned over now to private industry. It would be difficult now, he said, to determine what the plants might be worth and, anyway, they were now operating at a profit to the Government.

Goodloe said his opinions represented the "unanimous view" of the RFC board and "if the board had to make a specific recommendation I would be inclined to say the RFC feels any change should be deferred for a year or two."

Figures were introduced in evidence to show the Government's synthetic rubber plants operated from May, 1942, to August, 1945, at an over-all deficit of $44,744,000, but from September, 1945, to September, 1947, they had earned a total of $109,766,000.

The President's Calling List

By The Associated Press

President Truman yesterday had the following White House appointments:

10:45 a. m.—Representative Carl Hinshaw of California.

11—President presents Collier Trophy to Lewis A. Rodert, chief of flight section at Cleveland Laboratory of National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.

11:30—Mayor Thomas A. Burke of Cleveland.

11:45—Albert Goss, master of National Grange.

12 noon—Former Governor Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma.

1 p. m.—Lunch.

House Group Calls For $500,000,000 Federal Roads Aid

The House Roads Subcommittee yesterday recommended introduction of legislation calling tentatively for an annual appropriation of 500 million dollars for Federal aid in road building.

Chairman Cunningham (R., Ia.) told a reporter after a closed-door session that he was asked by the committee to draft tentative legislation calling for such an appropriation and providing for indefinite continuance of Federal help to States in road construction.

Describing the half-billion-dollar-a-year aid figure as reasonable, he said that highway users last year paid to the Government more than 800 million dollars in taxes on gasoline, oil, tires, automobiles and accessories.

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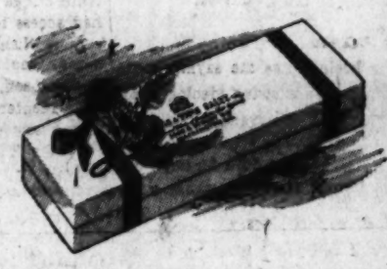

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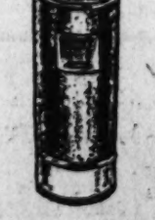

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Blood Bank Chain To Open on Jan. 5

Red Cross Unit Here Will Be First In National Plan of Free Centers

The first Red Cross blood bank in a Nation-wide chain that will eventually serve all citizens free of charge will open in Washington January 5.

An outgrowth of the wartime military system, the new peacetime civilian program will get its first pints of blood when the Greater Washington center opens its doors at the District Red Cross chapter, 1730 E st. nw.

John Clifford Folger, chairman of the District chapter, announced launching of the local program yesterday.

Following the Washington opening, for which 40 volunteer donors already are recruited, similar centers will begin operation in Rochester, N. Y., Omaha, Nebr., Louisville, Ky., Atlanta, Ga., and Stockton, Calif.

These regional centers, expected to be under way by February 15, will be the beginning of a network, which will be headed nationally by Dr. Ross T. McIntire, retired Surgeon General of the Navy.

In three to five years, it is estimated, the program will include some 140 metropolitan centers, about 250 secondary centers and several hundred mobile units to reach suburban and rural sections. About 3,700,000 pints of blood are needed each year to meet national needs, Red Cross officials say.

Nat C. Wilson, manager of the District chapter, pointed out that Greater Washington needs about 500 pints a week. To start with, he said, the center expects to get about 200 donors a week. For the first few months, therefore, hospitals have been asked to continue tapping their present sources for blood.

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Woman Slain 3 Days After Leaving Jail

Three days after her release from District Jail, Dorothy Belle Woods, 32, was found strangled to death yesterday in an alley littered with smashed whisky bottles between 6th st. and the 1600 block of Marion st. nw.

Dorothy

Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald declared after an autopsy that death was caused by strangulation, but the woman had not been strangled by human hands. A small bruise around her neck led police to believe she had been garroted with a wire or cord.

Detective Chief Floyd A. Truscott assigned practically the entire Homicide Squad under Lieut. Jeremiah Flaherty to the investigation. One suspect was questioned for several hours then released.

The woman was found about 7:30 a. m. by J. M. Connor, who has a plumbing shop at the rear of 1622 6th st. nw. She wore a black velvet suit but no blouse or underclothing. Police were unable to find her shoes, purse or hat.

Mrs. Mayme W. Chaney, a sister, who lives at 600 B st. ne., identified the dead woman at the morgue.

Dr. MacDonald said the woman had been dead only a few hours when found. Laboratory tests were being made to determine if she had been drinking.

Police declared the dead woman had been taken into custody 22 times since 1934, 16 times for being drunk. She was last arrested in the Ninth Precinct November 19 and sentenced to pay a fine of $25 or serve 25 days. Lieutenant Flaherty said she was released from jail Sunday.

Goldstein Gives 11th Weight Lecture

Dr. Goldstein, professor of applied mathematics at the University of Manchester, England, spoke on "Low-Drag and Suction Airfoils."

The lecture, sponsored by the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences, commemorated the forty-fourth anniversary of the first airplane flights made by Orville and Wilbur Wright at Kitty Hawk, N. C.

The Wakefield Gold Medal, awarded Link for his invention of the Link Trainer, is an annual award presented "the designer of any invention or apparatus tending towards safety in flying."

Link received the medal from Air Chief Marshal Sir Guy Garrod, who represented the British Ambassador to the United States.

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Jack, already mentioned, wants a rifle so he can "play cowboy and shoot bears."

"I won't shoot any people," he adds.

Four-year-old Sheila, who not only has been a good girl but eats "everything on my plate," asks Santa for "a candy bar in my stocking, dolls bed, doll, and something for my baby sister, Kathy, to push."

Donald requests a "big whistling freight with smoke."

Ernest, apparently a young carpenter or mechanic, wants "a large and a small screw driver, a pair of pliers and a pair of pinchers, a ruler" and, in addition, "two guns with two holsters and two belts."

Judy's heart's desire is a "Betsy-Wetsy doll," and Bruce, among a hundred other things, wants "a whip like Atilla used very much to."

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Father, Son May Be Flying To England

Hu[illegible], Hertfordshire, England, (AP).—The family of Robin Montgomerie-Charrington, 32, former British army officer, who is reported to have left his wife in Warrenton, Va., said today he is expected back in England by plane tomorrow.

His grandmother, Mrs. Montgomerie, said she had received a cablegram from him saying only that he would arrive. She could not say whether his son, Robin, jr., 6, is accompanying his father.

"I cannot understand what has happened," Montgomerie-Charrington's grandmother said, "for I received a very nice letter from Robin yesterday. Everything then seemed to be all right.

"I had been looking after his affairs here since he left for America with Marsyl(his wife) and Robin in January, and he asked me if I would mind his staying there until After Christmas. He wanted to spend Christmas with his wife and child in Warrenton, Va.

"I know of no disagreement between my grandson and his wife, except that she wanted to spend a great deal of time in America with her parents."

Mrs. Montgomerie-Charrington, the former Marsyl Stokes and prominent in society, charged Tuesday that her estranged husband had "abducted" their son from her Warrenton home Monday in violation of a Christmas "truce" agreement.

She said she and her husband had been separated for about six months but that when he came to Warrenton to visit friends they agreed upon a truce and he promised that he would not attempt to take the boy to England.

Although Mrs. Montgomerie-Charrington notified police of the "abduction" neither they nor the courts could offer her any satisfaction yesterday. A Commonwealth's attorney at Warrenton said the father had apparently broken no law in taking his own son.

Gamblers Get Fines Instead Of Jail Terms

Three more Prince Georges County men who pleaded guilty to gaming charges yesterday escaped jail terms for offenses committed before the court's Tuesday warning of stern justice.

County Circuit Court Judge Marbury imposed fines of $300 and suspended sentences of six months each in the House of Correction on the three, arrested November 29 and December 1 by county police. They included:

Meyer D. Laski, 47, of 4668 Chelsea ave., and Emil W. Tarlan, 42, of 4668 Homer ave., both Suitland Manor, arrested December 1 for accepting racing and numbers' bets, and Hoyt F. Cooley, 34, no fixed address, arrested November 29 for possession of numbers' slips.

On Tuesday, Judge Marbury fined six gambling defendants and sent one to jail for six months, with a warning that imprisonment instead of fines would be court practice from then on.

Panama Parties Endanger Bases

Panama City, Panama, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—The Liberal Reform Party today instructed its 12 deputies in the National Assembly to vote against ratification of an agreement granting the United States extended leases on Panama Canal defense bases.

The action placed the agreement in danger of being rejected by one vote.

Reliable sources said the National Revolutionary Party, second largest in the assembly, also will instruct its 11 deputies to vote against ratification.

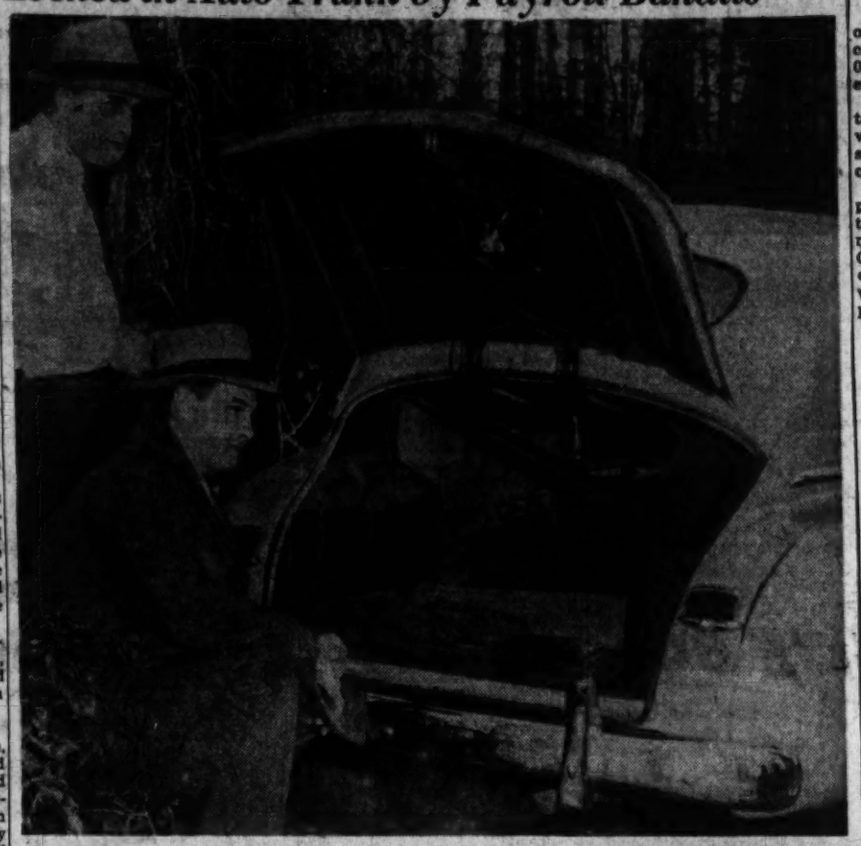
Safety Essay Contest Winners Announced

Leesburg, Va., Dec. 17 (Spl.).—Winners in a highway safety essay contest sponsored by the education subcommittee of the Loudoun County highway safety committee were announced today as follows: Frances Ritchie, Leesburg High School; W. Edwin Roe, Lincoln High School; Lorraine Warren, Aldie High School; Janet Mullen, Lovettsville High School, and Helen Howard, Douglas High School.

Flying Begins at 66

Battle Creek, Mich. (U.P.).—Flying began at 66 for Guy E. Russell. Bored by his two-year retirement from his job of making cereals, Russell joined the Battle Creek Flying Club and won his license. His next job is to persuade his wife to fly with him, he says.

Locked in Auto Trunk by Payroll Bandits



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VICTIMS PRIED THEMSELVES OUT—Charles B. Ebbecke (left) and Philip E. Barnes, jr., look into the auto trunk of the car into which they were crammed yesterday by two bandits who made off with the $7576 they were carrying from the Bank of Silver Spring to a lithograph firm on the East-West Highway. They pried their way free through back seat.

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Bandits Get $7576 Haul

of the company, told police the payroll was $7576.27. He said it was picked up from the bank every Wednesday at about 10 a. m., but seldom by the same two employes. The automobile used, police said, was Ebbecke's.

Miss Elizabeth Poch, company receptionist of 3211 Morrison st. nw., said the hold-up was carried off with such dispatch that, though she was awaiting for the payroll, she did not see the car drive up in front of a window where she worked.

The bandits were described as white men. One was about 25 years old, 5 feet 10 inches tall, with freckled face, and wearing a gray felt hat and Army jacket.

The second was about 30, 1 inch shorter, thin face, and was wearing a brown felt hat and blue sweater.

Gas Jet Cited in Honeywell Fire

A gas jet too close to the wall or a water leak above an electric cable might have caused the $300,000 fire which destroyed the Honeywell School in Bethesda Tuesday.

In an official police report yesterday, the fact that a burning jet was only 6 inches from a composition wall was cited as a possible cause of the fire.

Another, Police said, was a reported water leak above an electric cable carrying 220 volts which might have caused ashort circuit. Chief A. J. Bargagni of the Bethesda Fire Department, concurred with police that the gas jet was a possible cause.

Dr. Donald Honeywell, one of the private day school owners, said yesterday he believed approximately one third of an irreplacable 5000-volume library damaged by the fire could be salvaged. It was formerly owned by the late Ralph Adams Cram, designer of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, and the Princeton University chapel.

The books, on loan to the school by Mrs. Edward Nicholas, secretary of the Honeywell Foundation and daughter of Mrs. Cram, were to have formed the nucleus of the Ralph Adams Cram Memorial Library.

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Lawyer Was Sober When Arrested at Hotel, 6 Witnesses Testify in Suit Against Police

Six friends of the plaintiff testified in District Court yesterday that Maurice C. Pearce, 44-year-old Justice Department attorney, was neither disorderly nor drunk when arrested by police at the Hotel Statler around 3 a. m. of February 3, 1946.

The first key defense witness to testify—a hotel detective—declared, however, that Pearce was both "very drunk and very abusive" the night of the incident.

Pearce, who lives at 2403 Observatory Circle, is suing the hotel and the arresting policemen, Detective Walter E. Grove, 35, and Private Norman L. Richardson, 28, of the Third Precinct, alleging false arrest. He is seeking $35,000 damages. The case is being tried before a jury in Associate Justice Jennings Bailey's court.

One Deposition Read

Cross-examination of the plaintiff, who was the first witness when the case opened Tuesday, was completed yesterday. Thereupon, the plaintiff produced six witnesses to develop his contention that neither he nor his guests in Room 734 of the hotel gave cause for Pearce to be arrested and charged with being drunk and disorderly.

These witnesses were John Vaden Elrod, 604 Bashford lane, Alexandria, also a Justice Department attorney; Mrs. Mabel Downey, Cairo Hotel, secretary and sister of Representative Harold D. Cooley (D., N. C.); David I. Julian, 3000 Connecticut ave. nw., Federal Housing Agency employe; Raymond E. Pippin, 1819 G st. nw., CAA employe, and his wife, Madyline, who works for the Library of Congress.

All five witnesses had been in the company of Pearce during at least part of the night of the arrest.

Testimony of a sixth witness for the plaintiff was presented by deposition, and read to the jury. The witness, Ensign Wallace N. Yates, United States Navy, nephew of Pearce by marriage, is presently on duty at sea. Yates was talking on the phone with Pearce at the moment the latter was seized by police so forcibly, according to Pearce, that the phone was pulled out of the wall.

Night Officer Testifies

Chief witness presented by the defense yesterday was Thomas Hayes, night officer at the hotel, who formerly had served 25 years with the Metropolitan Police Department.

Hayes testified that he personally twice asked the occupants of Room 734 to quiet down after the floor watchman had complained of noise disturbing guests in that corridor. A third time, Hayes said, he and John F. Reardon, night manager, cautioned Pearce and his friends. On all three occassions, Hayes said, he was cursed by Pearce.

Hayes told the jury that in a fourth trip to Room 734, again accompanied by Reardon, he was abused by Pearce and by one of his friends coming out of the room. It was at this point, it was testified, that Detective Grove and Policeman Richardson entered the hotel room and arrested Pearce.

Pearce, who alleges the arrest humiliated him, testified Tuesday that he was taken out of the hotel through the main lobby. Hayes insisted yesterday that Pearce was taken to the street and police car by way of a service elevator and outside ramp, and did not pass through the central lobby at all.

The trial will resume at 10 a. m. today.

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The Washington Post

ABOUT THAT APARTMENT FIRE—Three Government girls (from left), Eva Ellis, Edith O'Dell and Marie Stewart, of 1349 Euclid st. nw., appeared in Municipal Court where Earl Hart, 37-year-old contractor, was ordered held for grand jury action yesterday on charges of larceny, housebreaking and arson. Hart, of 1211 W st. nw., is accused of taking a wrist watch and other property from the girls' apartment December 10 and then setting a fire which destroyed Miss O'Dell's trousseau. She was to have been married New Year's Day. Bond was set at $10,000 after Hart pleaded innocent to the charges

Mother Plans Reunion of Two Children

Mrs. Katnryn Jillson, who was granted a limited divorce from her husband on Tuesday, said she plans to stay at her Washington apartment and "watch my children get acquainted."

Mrs. Jillson, who shares an apartment with two other women at 1841 R st nw., yesterday took her 4-year-old son, George, to a doctor for an examination. George is ill with whooping cough. Mrs. Jillson said he seemed to be better yesterday afternoon. Last night, Mrs. Jillson's 2-year-old daughter Irene, who has been staying with a friend of the family, was to return to the Jillson apartment.

Former Army Maj. George Jillson yesterday visited his son at Mrs. Jillson's apartment. Mrs. Jillson told reporters that she would place no restraints against Jillson's seeing the children if he wished.

Politicians of Both Parties See Wallace Heading 3d Ticket

By Edward T. Folliard
Post Reporter

Politicians in both great parties now believe that Henry A. Wallace will run for President on a third-party ticket.

Wallace, always unpredictable, kept his plans to himself, following the announcement of the executive committee of the Progressive Citizens of America that it had invited him to run as an independent candidate.

What effect a Wallace candidacy would have on the 1948 presidential race was a debatable question, but hardly anybody in politics thought it would do President Truman any good.

Americans for Democratic Action, an organization of anti-Communist liberals, issued a statement from its Washington office in response to press inquiries last night and predicted that formation of a third party in 1948 "would insure the election of a reactionary isolationist administration."

Defeat for Liberals Seen

"Such an election," the statement continued, "would spell sure defeat for the legislative objectives of American liberals at home and would mean a retreat from American responsibility abroad, directly serving the world-wide interests of the Communist Party."

The ADA statement was signed by Wilson W. Wyatt, national chairman; Leon Henderson, chairman of the executive committee; Franklin D. Roosevelt, jr., vice chairman, and Hugh H. Humphrey, vice chairman.

A report circulated among Republicans on Capitol Hill that Wallace would announce his candidacy late this week, thereby making it, as one GOP leader remarked, "a Christmas present for Harry."

The Republicans—many of them, at least—believe that the angry Iowan, who was displaced as Vice President in 1944 and fired as Secretary of Commerce in '46, would wreck whatever chances Mr. Truman has of being elected for a full, four-year term next November.

Expected to Run

Organization Democrats didn't profess to know what Wallace will do, but they admitted that they would be surprised if he didn't run. In their view, the action of the Progressive Citizens of America in inviting him to head a third-party ticket, was the prologue to a hat-in-the-ring announcement by Wallace.

The Democrats said frankly that they would be happier if Wallace stayed out of the presidential battle. They agreed that, though he would have no chance for the prize himself, he doubtless would attract votes that otherwise might go to Mr. Truman.

At the same time, the Democratic strategists insisted that the prospect of a Wallace candidacy at this time is not nearly the ominous threat that they thought it would be, say, six months ago.

Loss of Influence Noted

They said that reports from various parts of the United States indicate that Wallace has lost much of his influence. They added that this was especially true in labor circles, where Wallace's appease-Russia policy has become very unfashionable.

They pointed out, too, that while Wallace's stock has been going down, the Gallup Poll has indicated that President Truman's has been going up.

Some Republicans — including one GOP notable who was here for the Gridiron Club dinner—agree that Wallace's vote-getting power has been overrated.

Dr. Frank Kingdon, cochairman of the Progressive Citizens of America and a candidate for the Democratic senatorial nomination in New Jersey, resigned his PCA post and said yesterday that it would be "folly" to put a third party in the field.

Dr. Kingdon, while making it clear that he was not criticizing Wallace, said that "there is not now a single national labor organization, union or leader who will support an independent ticket. On the contrary most of them will actively, even bitterly, oppose such a ticket." He added:

"We should probably come out of such a campaign with solidly reactionary control of the Presidency and Congress on the one hand, and with a bitterly divided and quarreling and disillusioned breakup of our progressive forces in the other. We would arm our enemies and divide our friends."

Kingon said that the American Labor Party in New York "will split wide open" if an independent ticket is put in the field. The ALP polled almost 500,000 votes for Franklin D. Roosevelt in the '44 election.

In Chicago, Illinois' leaders of the Progressive Party, organized last summer, announced that they had asked Wallace to become a candidate for President. This party was sponsor of a Cook County (Chicago) judicial election slate whose top man polled 313,848 votes.

Christianity Linked To War by Wallace

New York, Dec. 18 (U.P.).—Henry Wallace said today that Christianity in action over the centuries had meant war rather than peace.

The former Vice President, writing as editor of the New Republic, expressed his views on modern Christianity in an editorial entitled "Thoughts at Christmas."

"Christianit, is failing and the measure of its failure is the magnitude of the wars of this century," Wallace said. "One may well ask whether the various religions have brought more peace to the world or more strife . . . Christianity in action over the centuries has meant war rather than peace. Scarcely a decade has gone by without some nation spilling blood in the name of Christ."

He added that democracy was failing too and that its failure could be measured by the continuance of Jim Crow, educational segregation and the poll tax.

"I very much question whether a person can be a true Christian or a real democrat if he belongs to a church—or to any other group—which excludes people from membership on any arbitrary ground," Wallace declared.

Clothing Workers Oppose Third Party

New York, Dec. 17 (AP).—New York units of the CIO Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America—the union of the late Sidney Hillman which claims more than 300,000 members—announced tonight its opposition to the "formation of a third party on the national scene fo rthe year 1948."

Racket Charged In Philadelphia Produce Market

By the United Press

The House Executive Expenditures Committee charged yesterday that a Philadelphia local of the AFL Teamsters Union is headed by "racketeers and extortionists" who use "terroristic powers" to control the city's Dock st. produce market.

The committee unanimously adopted a report by Representative Clare E. Hoffman, (R., Mich.) which said that members of Local 929 of the Teamsters Union were "victims of the gangsters" along with traders on the market.

The union, whose leaders have been indicted by a Federal grand jury on charges based on the Hobbs Anti-racketeering Act, is headed by Abe Goldberg and Harry (Turk) Daniels.

Hoffman's report questioned whether the Justice Department "is doing its proper job" in investigating racketeering. It noted that there now are five grand juries proceeding against such practices. All resulted from congressional investigations, it said, rather than from Justice Department action.

Prosecutor Wins His First Case in Court

The battle of the beginners ended yesterday in Municipal Court with the prosecutor winning the decision over the defense attorney.

Each was trying his first court case.

The legal triumph went to Stafford R. Grady, 26, of 2107 Wyoming ave. nw., the District's youngest assistant United States attorney.

The loser—but only after a determined fight—was Louis Jongbloet, 40, of 4304 Ellicott st. nw., who was appointed by the court to defend a youth charged with attempted joyriding in a policeman's automobile.

The youth, Gene Rinne, 22, of 900 N. Wayne st., Arlington, was found guilty by Judge Armond W. Scott and sentenced to 30 days in jail.

The case had been continued until yesterday to give the defendant opportunity to produce a witness. This witness, it was claimed earlier, owned a car similar to the policeman's, and Rinne, it was explained, had gotten into the wrong car by mistake.

Jongbloet could not produce the witness in court yesterday. So he attacked the evidence against Rinne as a "mass of illogicality."

"Why should a boy on a 15-minute lunch period want to steal a car to joyride for so short a time?" asked Jongbloet. "And stealing a car in front of police headquarters is like trying to steal the badge off a policeman's coat.

"And one other point, the car involved is so antiquated no one would ever attempt to steal it."

"Do you want the statute of limitations to govern this case because of the age of the car?" joked the judge.

In finding Rinne guilty, Judge Scott commended Jongbloet for his work on the case. Both Grady and Jongbloet are graduates of George Washington University law school.

Christmas Party Today

The Junior Board of Commerce will hold its annual Christmas party at noon today at the Hotel Burlington.

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Caffrey Resigns As SEC Chairman

By NEA

School Board Is Blamed For Dispute

By the Associated Press

The National Education Association said yesterday a "breakdown" in the school system of a Cincinnati suburb last spring showed what can happen when a community "allows men to gain control of a school system who are inadequate for the task."

The suburb was North College Hill where the question of whether to take a Catholic school into the public school system and support it with tax funds had been an issue for several years in school board elections.

The NEA which claims to represent 900,000 teachers, said election of a majority of Catholics to the five-man board resulted in an agreement to take in the Catholic school.

Bickering over teacher appointments which followed, however, led to refusal of the board to re-hire the school superintendent, a prolonged student strike, a "riot" and arrests at school board meetings, mass resignations of teachers and finally resignation of the board, including the Catholic majority of three.

Majority Members Condemned

The report said:

"Although the immediate focus of the dispute centered in the policies and conduct of the majority members of the board, the whole controversial question of the use of public funds in support of sectarian education has been brought into the open with attending widespread publicity."

It added the NEA was not attempting to "pass on the merits of the question as to whether, as a matter of law or policy, public support of sectarian schools is proper."

The report, however, "condemned" the three majority members of the North Hill board for "conducting the affairs of the board in such a way that large sections of the community have become divided on religious grounds."

'Lesson' Cited

It added:

"The lesson of North College Hill is clear. Let every community look to its schools. Let it insist that its board of education be composed of intelligent, unprejudiced men and women of good will who understand their role as board members and appreciate the importance of public education."

The NEA committee which filed the report—the National Commission for the Defense of Democracy Through Education—said that "probably the most unfortunate consequence arising out of the situation has been the marked spread and increase in tension between certain members of the Catholic and Protestant faiths."

'Family Needs' Force Him to Join N. Y. Law Firm

James J. Caffrey resigned yesterday as chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

In a letter to President Truman, Caffrey said he was resigning because of "family responsibility which I can no longer ignore."

He will enter private practice of law in New York.

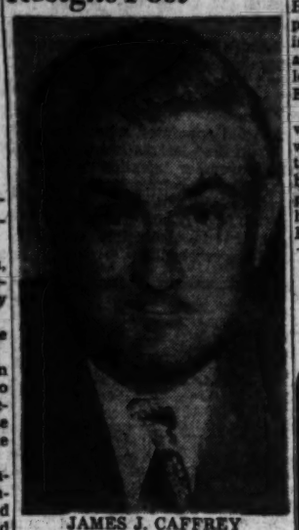
Caffrey will join the law firm of Mortimer Gordon and Leo Brady. He was admitted to practice law today by the appellate division of the New York Supreme Court.

Caffrey was the last of the "career men" among the SEC commissioners. He was appointed commissioner in May of 1943 and became chairman July 23, 1946, upon resignation of Ganson Purcell. The job pays $10,000 a year.

Prior to becoming a commissioner, Caffrey served for nine years as administrator of the SEC's Boston regional office and the New York regional office. He came to the SEC in 1935 as a staff attorney.

Caffrey, a Democrat, will be succeeded in the chairmanship by one of the two remaining Democrats on the commission — Robert B. McConnaughey or Edmund M. Hanrahan.

SEC Chairman Resigns Post



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Honduras Ratifies Pact

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Congress today unanimously ratified the inter-American mutual assistance treaty.

Commons Votes $200,000 a Year to Elizabeth and Philip

London, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—The House of Commons, acting on a plea that the cost of living royally is high these days, today approved after heated debate an annual allowance of $200,000 for Princess Elizabeth and her bridegroom.

The issue split the Labor Party wide open. Conservatives joined with Laborites to defeat two attempts by rebel Labor Party members and Communists to slash the proposed income of Elizabeth and her consort, Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh.

The Rebels and Communists pleaded that the Commons would be doing the royal honeymooners a favor if they released them from their "gilded cage" and set an example for austerity-conscious Britain.

The government countered that Britain's royal family worked hard without much luxury and there was just as much pomp in Communist Moscow as in London.

The Commons defeated, 345 to 33, an amendment to deprive the royal couple of any income beyond Elizabeth's present $60,000.

Then came the defeat, 291 to 165, of a second amendment to increase Elizabeth's allowance to $140,000.

The Commons finally approved without a vote an increase in Elizabeth's allowance to $160,000 and creation of $40,000 allowance for Philip.

WCTU Board to Meet

The executive board of the District of Columbia Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church at 10:30 a. m. today.

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Girl's Civil Rights In Michigan Tested

Excursion Company Contends Statute Cannot Apply to 'Foreign Trade'

By Dillard Stokes
Post Reporter

Counsel for a Detroit excursion company told the Supreme Court yesterday that State civil rights laws can't apply to foreign trade.

So the Bob-Lo company claims a right to keep Negroes off the boats it runs from Detroit to Bois Blanc Island and back, even though Michigan law says no public conveyance may discriminate among races. The island is in Canada, and the company claims the Michigan civil rights act is a burden on foreign commerce.

All these heavy arguments grew out of a little party arranged by a class of girls in Detroit's Commerce High School two years ago. One of them was Sarah Elizabeth Ray, who worked for the Detroit Ordnance District and went to school in her spare time.

Negro Girl Put Off

On the morning of June 21, 1945, 13 girls met at the dock, bought tickets and trooped aboard the Steamer Columbia. They checked their coats and went up to the top deck to wait for the boat to pull out. An agent of the Bob-Lo line came to them there and said Sarah Ray could not make the trip. She was a Negro. When she protested, the agent became angry and told some of the crew to "throw this girl off."

Then — as Assistant Attorney General Edmund E. Shepherd put it yesterday—"five brave men put Miss Ray back on the dock."

For this, the Bob-Lo line was fined $25 in the Detroit courts. Recorder John L. Maher said in a 20-page opinion that the line sold its tickets in Michigan, sailed its boat from Michigan, landed them in Michigan, and put Miss Ray off in Michigan in violation of the Michigan Civil Rights Act. If that act was a burden on foreign commerce, Judge Maher said, it was too light a burden to matter, whereas violating the State Civil Rights Act mattered enough to require the fine.

Company Appeals Fine

From this $25 fine, the excursion company appealed. Its counsel, Wilson W. Mills, told the justices yesterday that the States could not invade the power of Congress to regulate foreign commerce. Suppose, he said, Canada should pass a law just the opposite of the Michigan law—then the company could not obey both, and it would be out of business.

Asked by Justice Burton, Mills said that if Bois Blanc Island was in Michigan the line would have to obey the State civil rights act.

Shepherd—the State's counsel—urged the court to be guided by the facts of the case. The island might as well be in Michigan, he said, because the boats went nowhere else, handled only round trip trade, and there was no transport from the island to Canada.

Justice Black asked whether the Bob-Lo line would have violated the Michigan law if it let Miss Ray take the boat ride, but refused to let her land at the island. Shepherd said he thought not.

Beneath the arguments on the Bob-Lo cast loomed this question—if Michigan cannot protect the civil rights of its people because only Congress can regulate commerce, and Congress does nothing about it, must such rights be left without any safeguards? The answer may lie in the court's decision.

Management Society Will Award Trophy

"Group Dynamics" will be discussed at a dinner meeting of the Washington Chapter, Society for the Advancement of Management, tonight at 6:30 in Barker Hall, YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw. A spokesman said the Emerson trophy, for outstanding contribution in the field, will be awarded the local group.

Gasoline Prices Raised 1.2 Cents By Cities Service

Gas went up 1.2 cents a gallon at stations of the Cities Service Co. here yesterday.

Kerosene and fuel oil also were retailing 1.2 cents a gallon higher, following a price hike ordered by the company's Wilkes-Barre, Pa. headquarters. Price increases were made to the dealer, and immediately passed along to the consumer.

Only other company to raise prices was Gulf Oil Corp., which was charging a nickel more for all grades of motor oil. The company's gas prices remained the same.

Other oil companies reported they had no information on future price increases. The district manager for one large organization, however, predicted all companies would increase prices "within three months."

Estimates Million Lepers in India

New Delhi (AP).—Dr. Jivraj Mehta, director general of India health services, says approximately one million of the world's five million lepers are in India, and that some 200,000 of India's lepers are considered to be infectious.

"In heavily infected areas," he said, "the population affected may range from 2 to 5 per cent, while in individual villages the proportion may be as high as 10 to 15 per cent."

Green to File Teacher Pay Petition Today

Arlington County Treasurer John Locke Green today will enter the legal scrap between the county's old and newly elected school boards.

In a petition to be filed in Arlington Circuit Court, he will ask for authority to pay salaries of some 500 school employes until the court can decide which board will be in power after January 1.

The incumbent school board has challenged the right of five newly elected members to take office January 1. And spokesmen for both boards have announced that each will assert its authority at that time.

With court permission, Green said, he will recognize the authority of the elected school board in paying 420 teachers and approximately 79 janitors and maintenance men.

Green pointed out that teachers hold one-year contracts dated on or about September 2, 1947, which are binding on the present school board "and upon all future school boards."

As Arlington treasurer, Green said, he holds school board funds in his custody but cannot pay teachers and other workers without court permission until the issue between the two boards is settled.

Green's petition for an interlocutory decree will be filed in Circuit Court this morning by Alfred W. Trueax, who is acting as attorney for him.

The old appointed school board, in a suit filed last Saturday, called the November election of five members "unconstitutional" and asked to continue in office until the suit is decided. The case will be heard in Arlington Circuit Court December 29.

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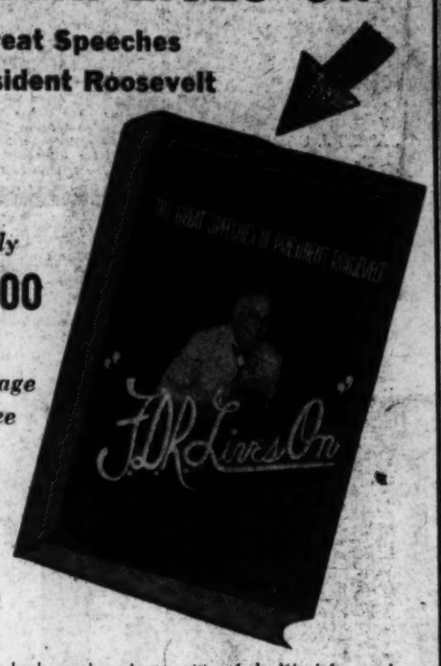

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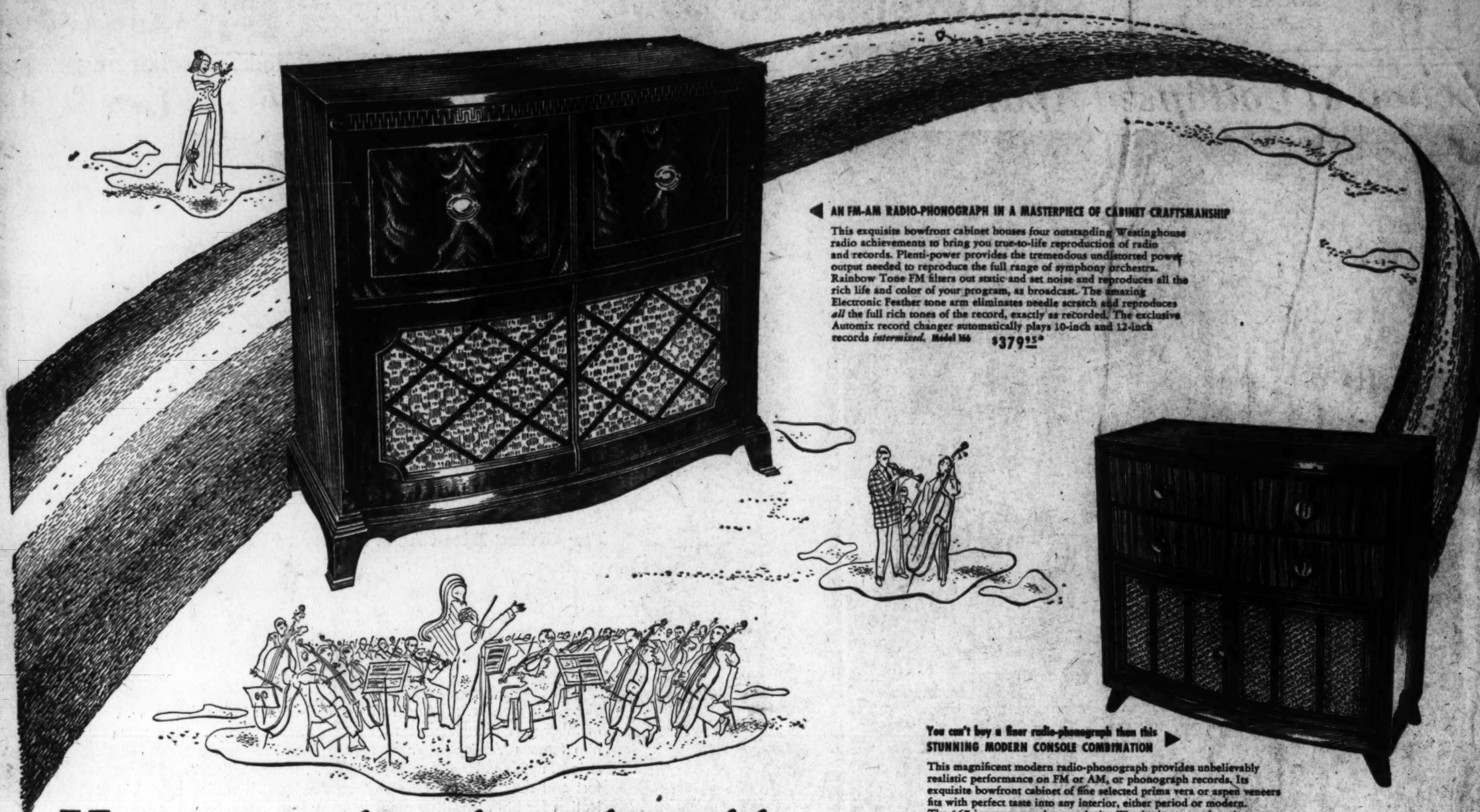

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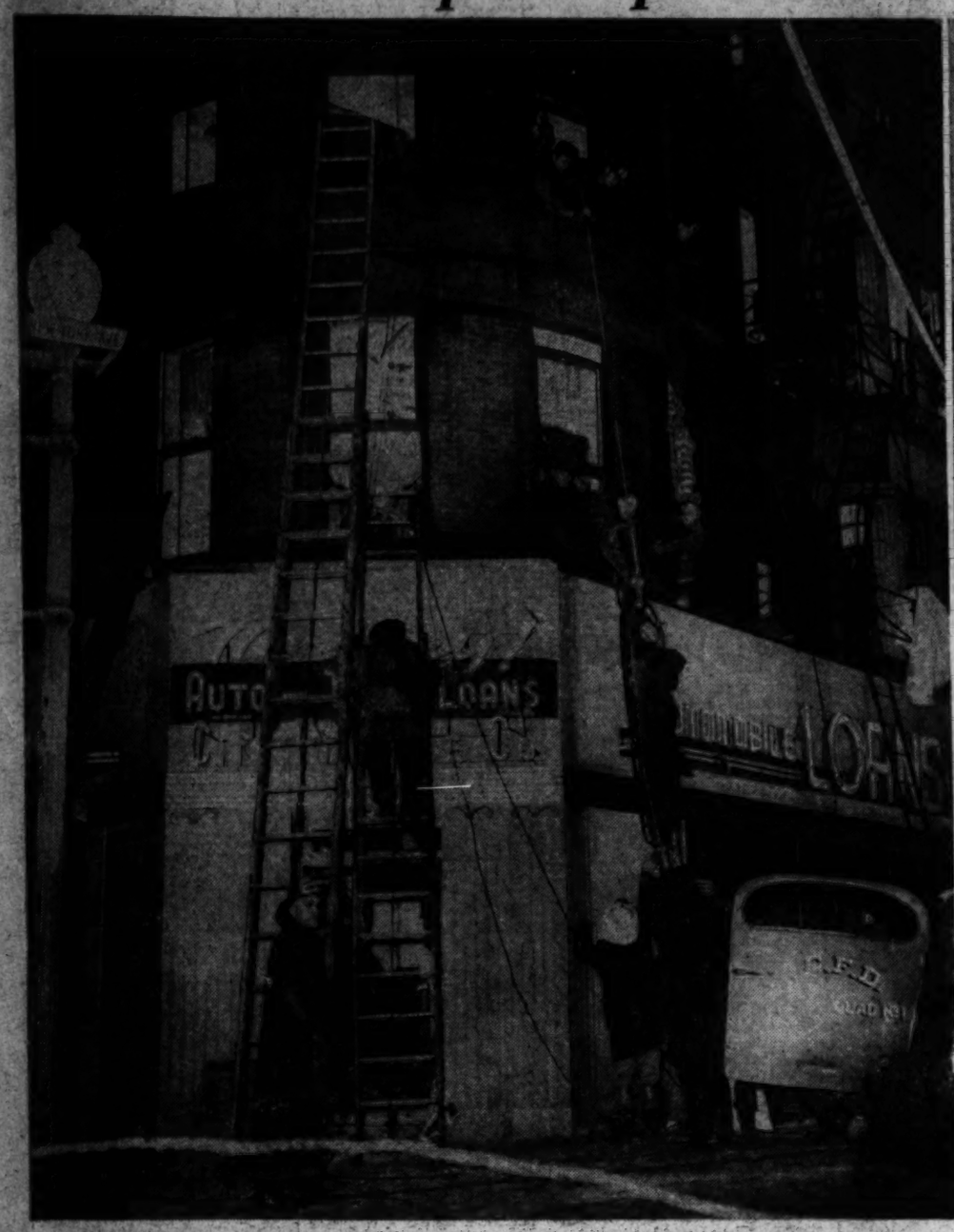
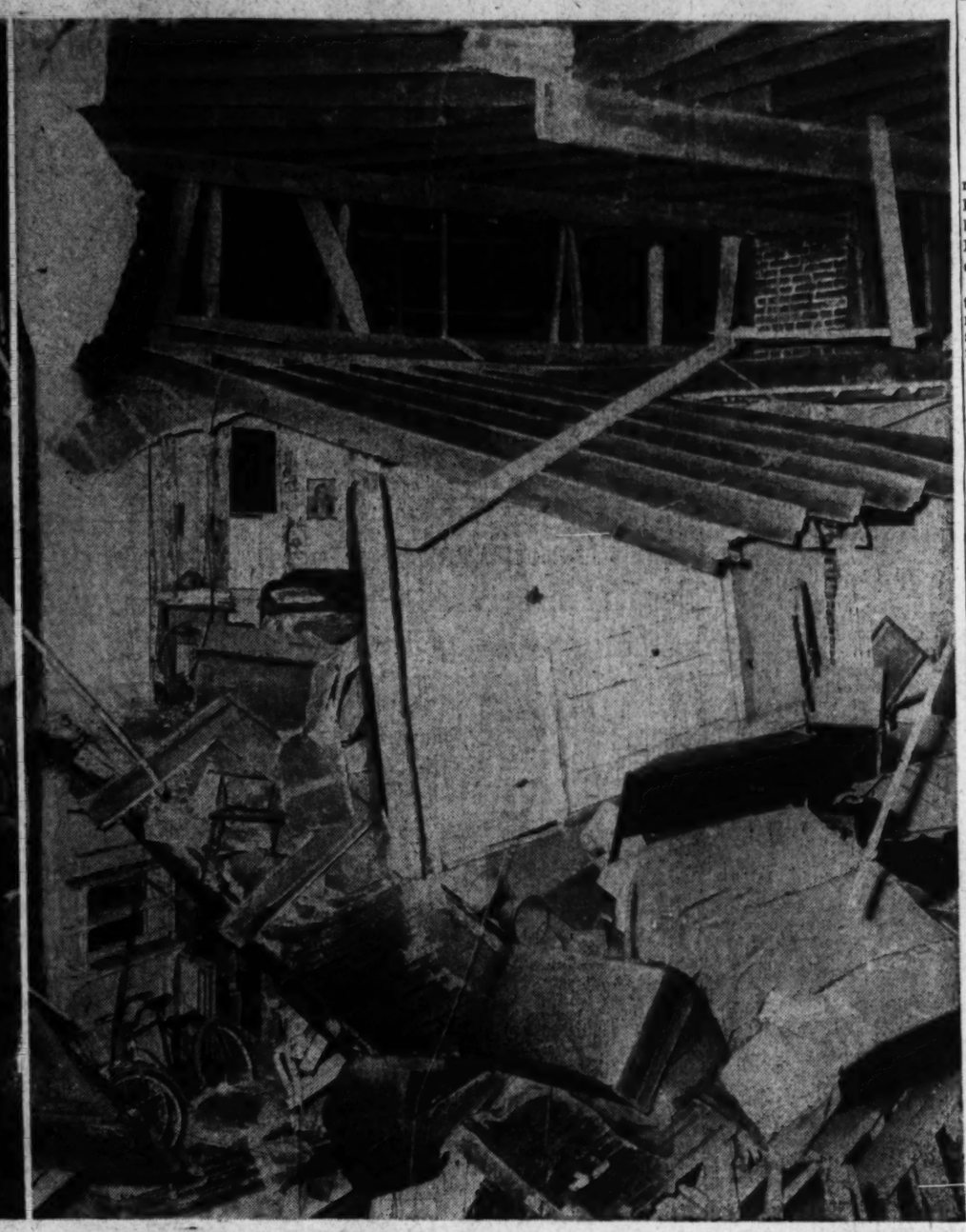
Many of the jokes you hear on the air nowadays aren't just corn—they're golden banter.

Action at Collapsed Apartment . . . This Is How It Looks Inside . . .



TO THE RESCUE—Men of fire department rescue squad's lower a man, still breathing, from the Empire apartment-hotel, 9th and New York ave. nw., before dawn. Note sheets and ropes on the fire escape used by residents fleeing the building collapse



SCRAMBLED ROOMS—Sections of the interior of the Empire building appear in a maze of fallen and broken beams, after floors in the seven-story structure collapsed in roar of wood, masonry and metal. Note the snapped off beams and shuffled furniture

The Washington Post

Empire Bldg. Approved by Inspectors as Late as 1944

Report on '47 Permit 'Lost or Mislaid;' Collapse Blamed on Hidden Beam Fault

The Empire Building, apartment hotel which partly collapsed late Tuesday, had passed routine building inspection as late as November 20, 1944, District officials revealed yesterday.

At the same time, it was learned, the building inspector s report on most recent remodeling of the structure was reported "lost or mislaid."

Chief Building Inspector Robert H. Davis and J. J. Ilgenfritz, deputy director of the department of inspections, however, both expressed confidence the missing record would be located "by today."

Cause of the collapse, in which one man was killed, three persons were missing and 12 others hurt, "appears to be from a structural failure," declared Ilgenfritz, yesterday.

"Beam Gave Way"

"Some interior beam or support gave way," he declared. "That's something no periodic inspection could detect."

Latest permit for alteration of the building, at 9th st. and New York ave. nw., was issued last June, department records showed. The changes were the 14th authorized on the seven-story structure since it was erected in 1893 at an estimated cost of $80,000.

The recent alterations applied for concerned installation of a 7-inch concrete slab over the boiler room, Chief Davis said. Work was completed early this fall, he added.

No field inspector's final report was found attached to the record, Davis admitted. It is this post-construction field report that was termed "lost or mislaid."

Oscar Estep, building inspector assigned to inspect the work, said last night he had marked "100-per-cent complete" on the report that was missing from the records, and had turned it over to the building inspection office.

"No Defects Noted"

"No structural member was touched (in the alterations)," he maintained last night.

The November, 1944, inspection, records show, was made by William P. Carr, who wrote "NDN" (no defects noted) in his report on the structural condition of the building. Carr declined to comment on his inspection or the report.

These routines inspections, covering "mainly" fire safety regulations and compliance with the District building code, are made "about every three years" for such buildings over three stories in height, Deputy Director Ilgenfritz said.

In most cases, he explained, changes made in the building code are not retroactive and inspections are evaluated by building regulations in force at the initial construction.

Never Condemned

Ilgenfritz stated that no condemnation proceedings had ever been initiated on the Empire Building "as far back as our current records go (1940)."

"And I'm sure there weren't any prior to that time," he declared.

Office of the District Rent Control Administration said a rent boost of nearly 20 per cent had been granted for the 36 apartment units in the Empire Building early in 1946.

The increase petition listed proposed $28,000 remodeling in the front entrance lobby, General Rent Control Counsel Ernest Williams revealed.

Permit for a $10,500 show-window remodeling was granted in December 1946 and a revision approved in April, 1947, Ilgenfritz said. But no structural members were removed in this alteration, which was completed and approved by Inspector J. C. Morgan last September 22, he declared.

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Pay at GPO May Be Hiked

lle Printer will be authorized to make it effective at once.

Besides the 5500 per diem, GPO also has about 2000 per annum employes here whose salaries follow closely those fixed by the Classification Act. They would not be affected by the pending increase but are eligible for annual promotions.

EFFECT: The GPO pay raise is bound to have a chain effect in Government. The several thousand employes in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing here can be expected to have their salaries raised to meet the pending GPO wage scale. The Treasury wage board usually follows the GPO in adjusting salaries of its BEP employes. BEP craft employes have requested an increase that would average about 25 per cent. Other per diem employes in Army, Navy and in other agencies here will seek raises to bring their wages in line with the GPO scale.

The GPO offer is a boost for the flat $500 general pay raise bills in Congress—bills that would cover most per annum employes whose salaries are fixed by the Classification Act. The offer would boost the income of GPO craft employes about $500 a year. It can now be argued that at least a similar raise should be given white-collar workers.

FLURRY: Another flurry of pay raise bills were introduced in the House yesterday. Bills to give each postal employe a flat $800 boost were sponsored by the following: Pfeifer (D., N. Y.), Miller (D., Calif.), Jones (R., Wash.), Almond (D., Va.), Bartlett, the Alaska delegate; Battle (D., Ala.), Hagan (R., Minn.) and Beall (R., Md.). Davis (D., Ga.) put in a bill for a $600 general pay raise, and Ross (R., N. Y.) offered a bill for an $800 general raise. Hagan also introduced a bill to give postmasters automatic pay raises.

RFC: Harold W. H. Burrows yesterday resigned his $12,500 job as controller of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. His resignation will become effective the end of this month. He will enter private industry.

Along with Board Member Henry T. Bodman, Burrows is responsible for the sweeping reorganization of RFC. The agency's lending operations have been merged under an office of loan manager, the controller's office was created with responsibility over accounting and auditing functions, and a field operation division was set up to administer field offices. Also, RFC's personnel was cut from 12,-171 on July 1, 1946, to 6380 at the present time.

The main points of the RFC program were recommended by both GAO and an outside management firm.

Bodman is not expected to seek reappointment as RFC when his term expires late next month. However, he will remain on until after the Senate Banking Committee completes its inquiry of RFC. Bodman believes that RFC is a fine and able organization and he wants the opportunity to defend it.

BB Gun Is Not Dangerous, Court Rules in License Case

The BB gun is not a dangerous weapon Municipal Court Judge Armond Scott ruled yesterday.

The decision reached yesterday was a result of a hearing of October 24 in which two defendants were being tried on charges of selling BB guns without a license.

At the conclusion of the three-hour hearing Judke Scott ordered Defense Attorney Irving Yochelson and Prosecutor Assistant Corporation Counsel Robert Kneipp to submit briefs as to whether it was the intention of Congress to include "air rifle" in the License Act of 1932 governing "dangerous and deadly" weapons.

Judge Scott in his two-page decision yesterday based his ruling on the premise that BB guns as ordinarily known and considered are manufactured as toys to be used by children and cannot be considered dangerous weapons per se.

The judge quoting a former court decision said that an automobile or a rolled up kit of tools were not considered deadly per se but could only become so when used as a dangerous weapon.

Prosecution in trying to prove that the BB gpn was a dangerous weapon at the trial on October 24 had requested police ballistics expert Inspector John Fowler to make some tests.

Fowler at the trial produced a board at which he fired the BB gun in question four times. The pellets fired at the greater distance had apparently embedded themselves deeper in th wood. Fowler testified that the weapon was dangerous.

The Washington Post erroneously attributed to Fowler a statement that the reason the pellet fired from a greater distance penetrated the wood deeper was that it gained velocity. Inspector Fowler yesterday informed the Post that he believed the reason the more distantly fired pellet penetrated deeper was because it struck a softer grain of wood.

Judge Scott said that even though the BB gun could be used as a dangerous weapon, it was not the duty of the court to promulgate the regulations but that if an amendment to the statute was needed it should be made by Congress.

The judge ordered dismissal of the case against the two defendants, Isadore Schwartz and Irving Abraham, both 27, co-owners of the Hillcrest Hardware Store, 3810 Alabama, ave. se. The judge ordered returned to them the $100 collateral which they had posted.

School Tableau

Christmas In 10 Lands To Be Seen

Children of the Ben Murch School, 36th and Ellicott sts. nw., ought to be experts on how the rest of the world celebrates Christmas after tomorrow night.

In a tableau slated for 8 p. m. at the school, children and grown-ups of at least 10 lands will depict the way the holidays are observed in their countries.

Dressed in native garb, parents and children of families of Chinese, English, Dutch, Egyptian, Danish and other extractions will enact typical holiday scenes. Between 60 and 100 will participate.

According to Miss Dora F. McClure, sixth grade teacher at the school, and codirector of the tableau, work on the project began about two weeks ago.

"We thought Christmas time would be a good opportunity to portray the festivals of the rest of the world and show how they link up with ours," she said.

A dress rehearsal will be run off today at the school before the pupils. Mrs. Rose Bakalar Berman of 4007 Connecticut ave., whose daughter attends Ben Murch School, is working with Miss McClure on the production.

Gewirz Heads Foundation

Election of Morris Gewirz, Washington attorney, as president of the board of governors of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation at George Washington University, was announced yesterday. President of the National Mutual Insurance Co. here, Gewirz lives at 3101 Davenport st. nw.

Taft to Go On Air

Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio) will be interviewed by four Washington newsmen on the "Meet the Press" program over Station WOL tomorrow night. The program will be heard at approximately 10:20 p. m., following the scheduled address by Secretary of State George C. Marshall at 10 o'clock.

TODAY ON WINX

Recommended today on The Washington Post's radio stations WINX and WINX-FM, Thursday, December 18:

1:05 P. M. Sibelius' Symphony No. 6. Finnish National Orchestra. Also Hanson's Symphony No. 2 with Eastman-Rochester Symphony.

4:00 P. M. Brer Fox gives a play. Uncle Remus Story.

Man's Death First in Month From Traffic

D. C. traffic deaths this year 68
District total last year.....72
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A 64-year-old Pennsylvania Railroad fireman, seriously hurt when he was struck by an automobile Saturday, died yesterday at Casualty Hospital.

His death ended a month without a triffic fatality in Washington—believed to be a record for the pre-Christmas period. The last traffic death occurred November 17.

Both Legs Fractured

The victim, Frtiz Widdekind of Havre de Grace, Md., was struck at about 6:20 p. m. while crossing New York ave. at Fenwick st. ne. He was admitted to the hospital with fractured legs and pelvis and internal injuries.

Police have charged the driver, Kenneth E. Wilson, 35, 6200 54th ave., Riverdale, Md., with failure to yield the right of way to a pedestrian. He was released under $1000 bond. No date has been set for an inquest.

Widdekind's death brought the District traffic total to 68 this year. The city may still fell below last year's mark of 72, which won the National Safety Council's grand award for cities of comparable population.

Ohter Accidents

In traffic accidents yesterday:

Harry "Kelly" Miller, equipment manager for the Washington Redskins and the Washington Nats, was injured when an automobile collided with another at Missouri ave. and 5th st. nw. about 10 a. m. Miller, who lives at 5900 4th st. nw., was admitted to Emergency Hospital with a back injury and possible fractured pelvis his condition was reported as far.

The other driver, Karl H. W. slag, 46, 1509 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Md., was charged with failure to stop at a stop sign.

Louis Stern, 19, 3815 Veazey st. new., may have suffered a fractured skull, doctors said, when his motocycle skidded on a turn at Lincoln rd. and 4th st. ne. and struck a taxicab halted at a stop sign. Driver of the cab was Aulin E. Johnson, 37, 1611 B st. se. Stern's condition was said to be fair at Casualty Hospital.

61% of Autos Fail On First Inspection

Sixty- one perecent of Washington motor vehicles failed inspection on their first try in the first 11 months of 1947, according to Charles W. Reed, supervising inspector of the Department of Vehicles and Traffic.

Of 124,310 vehicles inspected for the first time in the new inspection period, nearly 76,000 failed. On second try, an additional 68,000 passed. Oof 215,328 inspection made this year, only 8000 cars have not yet passed, Reed said.

Collapse of Building Recalls Two Similar Tragedies Here

The sudden collapse of part of the Empire apartment building Tuesday brought back memories of tragedies in Washington at the Knickerbocker Theater and the Ford Theater.

In each of those cases, the collapse either of the roof or of flooring trapped hundreds of persons, and firemen, police and doctors worked frantically to free the victims from the debris.

The Ford Theater disaster occurred on the worning of June 8, 1893, after employes of the records and pension division of the surgeon general's office had reported for work. About 475 men were employed in the building.

Newspaper accounts of the period stated that the floors "fell" in as though they had been the cards of a card house. On each floor there were scores of men at work. Without warning they were carried down as by an awful cataract . . . There was no escape frpm such a flood."

The unsound condition of the building had been given an airing in the press of the time, but no action had been taken by the Government to insure its safety, newspaper accounts stated. More than 20 men died in the wreckage of the theater.

Twenty-nine years later, on January 28, 1922, 98 persons died and 133 were injured when the roof of the Knickerbocker Theater (rebuilt as the Ambassador Theater) collapsed during one of the worst snowstorms ever to hit the Capital.

Theater-goers had gathered to watch "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford" when, at about 9 o'clock, as The Washington Post then reported:

"With a roar, mighty as the crack of doom, the massive roof of the Knickerbocker broke loose from its steel moorings and crashed down upon the heads of those in the balcony. Under the weight of the fallen roof, the balcony gave away. Most of the audience was entombed. It was as sudden as the turning off of an electric light."

The tragedy stirred a grand jury investigation and turned the life of Harry M. Crandall, theater owner, into one of brooding. In 1937 he ended his life by gas, leaving a note "to the newspaper boys," saying "please don't be don't be too hard on me ,boys, not for my sake, but for those I am leaving behind me."

Five persons were indicted as a result of the grand jury investigation into the Knickerbocker Theater and both an Army and Navy board and architects inspected the building to ascertain cause of the collapse. It finally was blamed upon a "swaying wall" and faulty design of supports and of the wall. Indictments against the five men were eventually quashed and Crandall successfully defended himself against 70 suits filed against him and the Knickerbocker Theater Co.

Theaters to Take Food, Toys as Tickets

Canned food and toys will be the price of admission at the Sidney Lust Thetters' matinees at 4 p. m. tomorrow.

Five theaters in nearby Maryland, the Hyattsville, Cheverly, Kaywood, Bethesda and the Milo in Rockville will sponsor the event with Station WOL and Montgomtyery and Prince Georges Community Chests. The food and toys will be distributed to needy families in the two counties.

Declaring that there had been improvement this year, Reed stated than an increase in new cars on the street was brining the rejection figures down. He placed a pre-war normay at 57 per cent rejections on the first try.

In Richmond, a recommendation that Virginia automobile inspection fees be upped from 25 to 50 cents was made yesterday by the Virginia Advisory Legislative Council.

The council turned down a proposal tha tth estate operate inspection stations, claiming that it would cost too much to set up and operate such stations.

Stating that inspection or lack of inspection of vehicles does not "affect to any/appreciable degree the accident rate on the highways," the council said that it could see no sufficient reason for changing the system.

Neither Fire nor Flood Daunts These Millers

Arkansaw, Wis. (U.P.). — Flood and fire have been no match for four grimly determined generations of the Miles family of millers during the past 90 years.

Since Henry Miles built his first grist-mill here in 1857, three fires and two floods have halted service to surrounding farmers only briefly.

Ernie, Henry's son was burned out in 1871 and flooded out when the Arkansaw River ran wild in 1878. Fire and flood repeated in 1897 and 1907, with Ernie's son James sharing damage costs.

The last fire—in 1927—razed buildings again. James' son-in-law, Cecil Harmon, hasn't lost the mill yet, but he's "prepared for anything."

Fox Not So Smart

Detroit (U.P.).—A sly red fox picked out the wrong hunter to leer at. Frank Rhea sat down to rest after a luckless day of pheasant hunting. The fox crept within a few feet of him and sat there grinning. The hunter shot the animal and claimed the $5 bounty.

Church Gift of $2500

Salisbury, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—A $2500 cash gift was presented to the Wicomico Presbyterian Church by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan, who celebrated their fortieth anniversary as members of the church.

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Three Sought In Wreckage

among the missing, heard reports of the collapse by radio and sought help in finding her. She was believed to have been with a neighbor, but had not been found last night.

Mrs. Lena Smith, wife of the missing Joseph Smith, is in Emergency Hospital in critical condition. Smith was reported as seen sliding down a crashing floor by Lola Argirious, who was sleeping with her mother, Mrs. Eva Argirious.

Trapped in Wreckage

Mrs. Rowena Cremeans, 27, was trapped in the wreckage four hours; suffered from cuts, bruises and exposure. Her husband, C. Odeli Cremeans, said he fell from the sixth to the third floor. "My wife fell to within 6 feet of me.

"We could not see each other, but we could talk—and that was a comfort. I must have landed on a sofa, but a timber pinned me down." He suffered a fractured left shoulder, cuts and bruises.

The injured:

Dr. Hugo Lehman, 52, possible internal injuries, cuts and bruises.

James Temple, 68, fractured back and cuts.

Mrs. Theresa Mennell, 75, multiple cuts, bruises.

Hazel E. Hess, 43, injury to right leg.

Mrs. Ella F. Dorsey, 80, shock, bruises.

Alice Burke, 82, shock.

James Kelos, 55, minor cuts.

Mrs. Edna Kelos, his wife, minor injuries.

Two fire alarms came in quick succession and equipment and ambulances lined the streets. Many of the tenants, who occupied apartments in the undamaged section of the building, fled in night-clothing.

Many of them fortunate enough to be warmly clad, remained at the scene seeking relatives and friends. Others, wrapped in blankets, found temporary quarters with neighbors and relatives.

Firemen ran up aerial ladders to help frantic tenants from windows. Others made their way down stairways.

Firemen and police who first arrived at the scene Tuesday night believed the building was wrecked by an explosion, possibly gas, but interviews with persons brought from the wreckage indicated no blast had occurred.

Thousands of spectators viewed the wrecked building yesterday, though outwardly it appeared little damaged. Walls were intact and described as "apparently sturdy" by building inspectors.

Debris Piled High

Inside, huge chunks of concrete, twisted steel beams, wooden flooring and glass were piled high. Furniture poked out of the debris and a broken water pipe dripped. Floors slanted downward and beds were piled up where they stopped at the top of the heap. Dust hung in the air; stood an inch deep in places.

One window was shattered on the 9th st. side where 48-year-old R. E. Myers was sleeping "when I felt plaster falling on my face.

"Then I heard a rumbling and it seemed some woman was screaming right at the foot of my bed. My bed tilted downward suddenly. Gas and dust were so thick I broke the window and held on until firemen got a ladder to me."

From a closet left dangling on the fourth floor, Battalion Chief J. W. Kay and Pvt. T. W. Curtin used a long hook to remove a mothball box. In it, wrapped in a sock, was approximately $1500 owned by George Remler, 58, of Apartment 31.

After he regained consciousness at a hospital, Remler told where the money was. Plunged into the wreckage, Remler suffered cuts and bruises.

Got Wrong Ring

Many of the tenants in the 31 apartments lost valuables. Christmas presents littered the pile of wreckage. Awakened by what she thought was an "earthquake" and screaming, Mrs. Bernard Newgam grabbed for a $400 diamond ring on the bureau; got the wrong ring

Woman Would Send 2-Year-Olds to School

New York (U.P.).—Rose Schneiderman, president of the Women's Trade Union League, believes the day will come in this city when children will start to school at the age of two.

"It's no longer practical," she said, "to tell all mothers of small children that they should stay home with their babies. Working women have made tremendous progress in our time. Women have better pay than ever before, children have better care and living standards are higher."

Area News in Brief

3 Plans Eyed to Up Seating in Armory

Three plans to increase seating capacity of the National Guard Armory are being considered by District engineers.

An insufficient number of fire exits presently limits the drill hall's capacity to 4825 persons. Potential capacity is estimated at 15,000.

According to Lieut. Col. L. E. Cox, assistant Engineer Commissioner, the plan most likely to be put into effect soon would raise seating capacity to about 6500 by installation of several additional fire exits.

A second "intermediate" plan, like the first, calls for annitional fire exits, but more of them. The third plane contemplates extensive structural changes to permit a major increase in capacity.

Colonel Cox said all three plans would be ready for presentation to the Commissioners "probably within two weeks." No money is available at present, however, to put any of the plans into operation.

Data for the plans is being gathered by Municipal Architect Merrel A. Coe and Archie Hutson, District director of construction.

New Post for Adm. Hussey

Vice Admiral George F. Hussey, jr., USN (Ret.) wartime chief of the Navy's Bureau of Ordnance, will become administrative head of the American Standards Association January 1.

Admiral Hussey will join the association's staff as of today, but will not take over the administrative position immediately, Frederick R. Lack, president of the association, announced yesterday in New York.

School to Expand Rolls

The Colonial Village Cooperative Nursery School will accept a limited number of preschool children living outside the development after January 1, Mrs. Helen Johnson, president, said yesterday. Membership has been open only to Colonial Village children.

'Good Faith' Issue

ITU Charge Reinstated By NLRB

By The Associated Press

A charge of refusing to bargain in good faith was reinstated against the AFL International Typographical Union yesterday by the National Labor Relations Board.

The charge had been dismissed December 9 at the union's request by Arthur Leff, the NLRB trial examiner who is hearing the Nationwide case brought against the ITU by the American Newspaper Publishers Association.

Leff based his decision on the ground that the wrong section of the Taft-Hartley Act had been invoked.

The office of Robert N. Denham, NLRB general counsel, appealed to the full five-man board.

In announcing yesterday that it has overruled Leff, the NLRB left the way open to a change of mind after hearing evidence. The hearing will be resumed here Friday.

Denham has charged the printers' union and its national officers with several violations of the Taft-Hartley Act. The union has denied the charges.

Under the law the five board members act as judges, Denham as the prosecutor. The publishers' association is cooperating in the prosecution.

Board members, explaining today's unanimous decision, told reporters the board was not ruling at this time on whether Leff was legally right or wrong.

On the contrary, they said, the board was restoring the refusal-to-bargain charge only to make it possible to hear the facts and later decide on the correctness of Leff's position.

Negotiators Asked To Resume Efforts

Conciliation Director Cyrus S. Ching yesterday requested representatives of the Western Union Telegraph Co. and three AFL unions threatening a pre-Christmas strike, to resume negotiations here Friday at 3 p. m. (EST).

H. Ross Colwell, chief Government conciliator assigned to the threatened strike, recessed contract negotiations in Philadelphia Tuesday when discussions reached a stalemate.

The unions have set 6 a. m. (EST) Tuesday, December 23, as the hour for a Nation-wide walkout by 50,000 employes represented by the AFL Commercial Telegraphers Union, Telegraph Employes Union and Telegraph Workers Union. They are demanding a 15 cents an hour wage increase.

Hungarian Proposes Universal History

Budapest, Hungary (U.P.).—A proposal to compile in one or two volumes the story of every nation of the world as told by its own representative has been made by Endre Hevesi, editor of the weekly foreign policy organ, Uj Magyarorszag. He thinks such a book would further international understanding.

Every nation would tell in not more than five to six pages and as many photographs what is its way of life, its ideals, its accomplishments and the role it is willing to play in world cooperation.

The writers and photographers would be chosen in every country in a nation-wide contest handled by one of its outstanding newspapers. The book would be translated into every language and published in every country by the newspaper that handles the contest. Small nations unable to finance the publication would be assisted by the UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural C...

Firemen Fail To Save Home At Clinton

Fire early yesterday destroyed a two-story frame dwelling in the Schultz subdivision, near Clinton, Md., despite efforts of three volunteer fire companies to save it.

Companies from Clinton, Silver Hill and Morningside responded to the alarm. They found the house, which was owned by Thomas S. Smith and sublet to a man identified as R. Hayman, a mass of flames.

The house was burned to the ground, Fire Chief T. Alan Penn of the Clinton volunteer fire department.

Tenants Won't Enter Dispute In Fairlington

Striking employes at the Fairlington housing development yesterday made an unsuccessful offer to place their dispuate in the hands of a committee of tenants.

The proposal was made in a letter to Everett L. Butler, president of the Fairlington Civic Association, sent by Michael Lucas, secretary-treasurer, Building Service Employes Local 82.

Butler said the association "has no intention of stepping into a labor dispute." His organization's sole interest is maintenance of "sanitary conditions and preservation of health," he said.

An estimated 170 maintenance employes at the 3500-unit development in nearby Virginia walked out December 8 after the Fairmac Corp., owners, refused to recognize the union.

Meanwhile, the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service offered to intervene in the dispute between Government Services, Inc., and its CIO employes. The proposal was rejected, since GSI refuses to negotiate with the union, Cafeteria Workers Local 471, on the grounds its leaders have failed to sign non-Communist affidavits.

Sheriff 'Arrests' Ship As Hit-and-Run

Vancouver, British Columbia (U.P.).—Sheriff S. F. Moodie, provincial marshal of the Admiralty, "arrested" the Swedish motorship, Dagmar Salen, here and charged her with injuring a Vancouver woman.

Sheriff Moodie made his arrest by hanging a writ of damages on the vessel's main mast. Three days later the writ came off, when the Dagmar Calen's owners posted bond, and the ship was at least temporarily freed from the law's clutches.

The procedure is a hold-over from British admiralty law, which requires that any action for damages by a ship's passenger be directed against the vessel itself.

The Dagmar Salen is in legal hot water because the Vancouver woman claimed she was injured when the ship was in collision with the ferry Chinok.

Tabloid Grows in Size To Save Newsprint

Manila (AP).—The Manila Times, which with 72,000 daily and 100,000 Sunday circulation claims to be the largest English-language daily in the Far East, went from tabloid to eight columns standard size with the explanation that it was an "emergency measure to save paper." The Times said the change saves considerable margin space.

Police Here Seek Boy Gone From Winchester

James Nelson Mason, jr., 16, son of a president of the O'Sullivan Heel Co., has been reported missing for two days from his home in Winchester, Va., according to police there.

The boy is known to have taken a bus to Washington, police said, and may be on his way to Massachusetts to visit his grandparents there. Winchester police alerted District police to intercept the boy before he leaves Washington.

Harold Vanderbilt Gives More to Va. Hospital

Woodstock, Va., Dec. 17.—A check for $15,000 from Harold S. Vanderbilt for the Shenandoah County Memorial Hospital Association has been received by A. C. Marshall, former finance chairman of the drive.

This bring's Vanderbilt's contributions to the fund to $65,000 and the total fund to almost $225,000, according to W. O. Riley, present chairman of the drive.

Wage Accord Reached

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Representatives of Richmond, Norfolk transit workers and their employers reached "a meeting of the minds" late today in their efforts to negotiate a 1948 union contract. Signing of the agreed-up document is subject to the approval of the union member in the three cities.

Dies of Stove Burns

Station, Md., died yesterday at Thomas D. Hamilton, 51, of Hall Freedmen's Hospital. Police said Hamilton suffered second degree burns on his left side and arm on November 18 when a stove in his home exploded.

Dutch Decorate Americans for Fighting in Holland

The Washington Post

CEREMONY AT NETHERLANDS LEGATION—Ambassador E. N. Van Kleffens of the Netherlands shakes hands with Maj. Gen. Anthony McAuliffe of Washington after decorating the Army officer with the Bronze Lion for his leadership in action at Veghel, where his unit fought off an enemy attempt to destroy a bridge, a vital link on the road to Arnhem. Others also decorated for service in the liberation of Holland are (from left, rear) Corpl. Ealsby E. Broadway of Baltimore, the Bronze Lion; T/Sergt. Manual Hidalgo of Beckley, W. Va., Bronze Lion; Lieut. Col. J. H. Michaelis of Washington, Bronze Lion; Stanley K. Hornbeck, wartime Ambassador to the Netherlands; Col. L. C. Strong, Col. William McKee Dunn, and Col. Sidney Morgan, all of Washington, and all recipients of the Order of Orange Nassau with Swords; Col. Aage Woldike of New York, Order of Orange Nassau with Swords, and Capt. McCord Sollenberger of Baltimore, Bronze Cross. The captain's son, Randall, witnessed the presentations yesterday

Joint Hearings Set in Congress On Home Rule

Senate and House District leaders agreed informally yesterday to conduct joint hearings on the proposed District reorganization and home rule plan.

Committee aides said it is now certain that the House and Senate home rule subcommittees will get together in the joint hearings to speed action on the home rule legislation. The hearings are slated to start next month.

Senator Joseph H. Ball (R., Minn.), chairman of the Senate District Home Rule Subcommittee, said a majority of its members favor the joint hearing plan.

Representative James C. Auchincloss (R., N. J.), chairman of the House Subcommittee which drafted the new District home rule plan, is in favor of the joint hearing program.

Ball emphasized that final arrangements would have to be made at a formal meeting.

Plans for such a meeting fell through yesterday when Senate Home Rule Subcommittee members were kept from attending by other business. Ball conferred briefly with Dr. George B. Galloway and Clarence M. Pierce, staff experts of the House Subcommittee, and said he would arrange another meeting with them to go over the home rule plan.

The plan calls for giving Washington an elected council and city manager in place of the present Commissioners. Veto control over the District would be kept by Congress and the President.

Bustard, Ill, Resigns as Va. Senator

Danville, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—The resignation of State Senator Maitland Bustard of Danville was en route to Governor Tuck, City Democratic Committee Chairman J. B. McDaniel said today.

No reason was given by the Danville attorney, whose law firm of Garrett, Bustard & Wheatley was recently reorganized without him.

Senator Bustard, a State legislator for 15 years, is in Community Hospital but is reported not to be in a serious condition. He was in the House of Delegates before going to the Senate in 1942, succeeding the late John W. Carter.

Mentioned as a successor to Bustard are Commonwealth's Attorney Frank T. Burton, Patrick, and Delegate W. B. Broaddus, Martinsville.

Prentis Peter Bowdoin

Prentis Peter Bowdoin, 53, a native of Washington, died yesterday in New York after a long illness. Mr. Bowdoin, a veteran of World War I and a member of the American Legion, attended Washington public schools and was employed in the Washington Post-office prior to World War I. He has been in New York about 20 years.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Duncan G. McGregor, Mrs. Thomas J. Kehoe, and a nephew, Thomas Curtin Kehoe of 1904 Rookwood rd., Silver Spring, Md.

Requiem mass will be said at 9 a. m, tomorrow in Fort Myer Chapel. Interment will follow in Arlington Cemetery.

Mrs. Maude G. Ramer

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 17—Funeral services for Mrs. Maude Geyer Ramer, 75, a resident of Martinsburg for the past 10 years, will be held tomorrow borning in Westminster, Md.

Mrs. Ramer, widow of Scott B. Ramer, died Monday in the hospital here.2 Formerly a resident of Westminstedr she was a daughter of James Geyer and Hannah Starliper Geyer of Martinsburg.

Mrs. Ramer is survived by a brother, James F. Geyer, Martinsburg, and two sisters, Mrs. Meta Cowenhoven, Baltimore, and Mrs. Roy Grove, Martinsburg.

Mrs. Helen S. Gravatt

Mrs. Helen Stevens Gravatt, 64, wife of the Rt. Rev. John J. Gravatt, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of upper South Carolina, died today at her home.

She lived for many years at Richmond, Va., where her father was president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

Hearing to Reopen on Jan. 15 On Protested Text Book

Representative A. L. Miller (R., Nebr.) said yesterday his subcommittee will resume its hearings on District school text books January 15.

Miller is chairman of the House District Subcommittee on Health, Education and Recreation, assigned to review the protest of the District Veterans of Foreign Wars against use of the book, "Building Citizenship" in the public schools here.

Miller said the subcommittee will recall the author of "Building Citizenship," Roy O. Hughes of Pittsburgh, Pa., to give more testimony in next month's meeting. Miller said that Hughes will be asked about the reference books he cited in "Building Citizenship."

The subcommittee will also ask Dr. Hobart M. Corning, superintendent of District schools, to discuss various books written by Harold Rugg and Louise Krueger and used in the schools, Miller said.

Dr. Corning, in a report made public by Miller, told the subcommittee five of the Rugg-Krueger books are being dropped from the list of approved school book list "because they were out-of-date and of small use in the classroom."

Corning said the textbooks had been found too difficult for the fifth and sixth grade children for whom they were intended, and had been "very little used for the past several years."

The five Rugg-Krueger books being dropped included "The Building of America," "Man and his Changing Society: Mankind Throughout the Ages," "Peoples and Countries," "Man at Work, His Arts and Crafts," and "Man at Work, His Industries."

Doctor Corning said that two other Rugg textbooks had been used in the early '30's in an "Industrial History" course in the 9th grade, but had been dropped from use when the course was replaced by another. He said objections had been made about use of the two texts, and that a special report by a school board committee had sustaine dsome complaints about passages in the books.

He added that the school list of books approved for library use included another Rugg-Krueger book "Man and His Changing Society: First Book of the Earth," and that action to drop this book from the lists was probable.

16 War Dead To Be Buried In Arlington

Sixteen Army dead of World War II will be reinterred at 2 p. m. today at Arlington Cemetery.

Graveside services will be conduced by Chaplain (Maj.) Lester E. Nicholson, Bolling Field Chaplain (Maj.) Henry Tavel of the Office of the Army's Chief of Chaplains and Chaplain (Capt.) Thomas F. Wright, Bolling Field.

A 70-man honor guard will be furnished by the Marine Corps. Solemn music will be played by the United States Marine Band.

Burial sites are located just inside the cemetery's east wall between Treasury and McClellan gates on Arlington Ridge rd.

Deceased and their next of kin are:

Maj. James G. Abernathy, USA—Mrs. James G. Abernathy, sh., Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Pvt. Frank B. Corry, jr., USA—Lieut. Col. Frank B. Corry, sr., Buffalo, N. Y.; Pvt. Alexander Derose, jr., USA—Mrs. Dorothy Arnold, pa.; Pvt. Armand F. Eiseman, USA—Mrs. Rose H. Eiseman, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pvt. Clifford L. Evans, USA—Roy Evans, Altoona, Pa.

Pvt. John E. Fares, USA—Henry J. Fares, Dayton, Ohio; Pfc. Dominick L. Golab, USA—Mrs. Antonina Golab, Ford City, Pa.; Pfc. Raymond J. Hoffman, USA—Urban H. Hoffman, Louisville, Ohio; S/Sgt. William E. Jones, jr., USA—William E. Jones, sr., Philadelphia, Pa.; Pvt. Raymond M. Kaiser, USA—Max W. Kaiser, Buffalo, N. Y.

Pfc. William R. Seel, USA—Mrs. Catherine E. Binkley, Cincinnati, Ohio; Sergt. Albert J. Smith, USA—Elizabeth Smith, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pvt. Walter F. Stillenpole, USA—Mrs. Mary M. Stillenpole, Mount Pleasant, Pa.

Pfc. Harry J. Walkey, USA—Mrs. Jeanne Walkey, Columbus, Ohio; T/5 Dana W. Wallace, USA—Mrs. Mae E. Wallace, Coshocton, N. Y. and S/Sergt. Hertis L. Whitehead, USA — Ambrose Whitehead, Shickshinny, Pa.

Mrs. Anna G. Jarvis

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna G. Jarvis, 74, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at Joseph Gawler's Sons funeral home, 1750 Pennsylvania ave. nw. Interment will be in Glenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Jarvis died Monday at her home, 2039 New Hampshire ave. nw., after an extended illness.

She was born in Springfield, Tenn., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Garrett, and attended school there and at Ward Seminary, Nashville, Tenn. She moved to Washington in 1901 and was married to Grant Jarvis, now deceased, the following year.

Mrs. Jarvis is survived by two sons, Walter B. Jarvis, Washington, and Roy F. Jarvis, Sneedville, Tenn., and two daughters, Mrs. C. B. Elwell, Havre, Mont., and Mrs. C. J. Winslow, Berkeley, Calif.

Mrs. Helen Stevens Gravatt

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 17 (AP).—Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Stevens Gravatt, 64, wife of the bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Upper South Carolina, who died today, will be held here tomorrow at Trinity Episcopal Church.

She had lived for many years in Richmond, Va., where her father was president of the Chesapeak & Ohio Railroad.

Survivors, in addition to he husband, the Right Rev. John J. Gravatt, include a brother, Cecil W. Stevens of Virginia Beach, Va.

Earl Baldwin

London, Dec. 17 (NYHT).—Funeral services for Earl Baldwin of Bewdley, who, as Stanley Baldwin served as Prime Minister of Britain three times, were held today at Birmingham.

The services for the 80-year-old Earl who died in his sleep Saturday night were private.

Margold Rites Attended by High Offiicals

A funeral service was conducted here yesterday for Municipal Court Judge Nathan Ross Margold, 48, who died of a heart attack Tuesday at his home, 2964 Newark st. nw.

Both Municipal Court and the Municipal Court of Appeals recessed from noon to 2 p. m. to enable judges and court attaches to attend final rites for the jurist who sat in Municipal Court since 1942.

The service, at Goldberg's funeral home, 4217 9th st. nw., was attended by the full staff of Municipal Court judges, officials of other courts, Former Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes, Undersecretary of Interior Oscar Chapman, Former Solicitor General Charles Fahy, and many others high in official circles.

Rabbi Solomon H. Matz officiated at the ceremony, which was followed by interment in George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

Clark King, senior assistant corporation counsel, represented his office at the services, and Richard Roberts, Assistant United States Attorney, represented the United States Attorney's office. Thirteen honorary pallbearers ,represented the District Bar Association.

They included: David L. Blanken, Arthur F. Carroll, jr., F. Joseph Donohue, P. Bateman Ennis, Charles Fahy, Irwin Geiger, Lawrence Koenigsberger, John L. Laskey, JeffLichtenberg, Alvin Newmyer, Lieut. Col. Julius I. Peyser, Sidney Sachs and Irving B. Yochelson.

Funeral Set Tomorrow for Mrs. Angevine

High requiem mass for Mrs. Bertha M. Angevine of 2711 12th st. ne., who died Tuesday at Providence Hospital following a lengthy illness, will be sung at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow at St. Anthony's Church. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mrs. Angevine was born in Alexandria, Va., July 27, 1881, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Chichester. She graduated from St. Mary's Academy in Alexandria.

Employed for many years at the Treasury Department, where she did clerical work, Mrs. Angevine was retired in 1943.

She was a member of the Catholic Daughters of America, the Third Order of St. Francis and the Ladies Auxiliary, Catholic War Veterans. She was publicity chairman of the Ladies Sodality of St. Anthony's Parish.

Mrs. Angevine was instrumental in organizing the Ladies Auxiliary, Father Francis J. Hurney Post 112, Catholic War Veterans, and served as its president for three terms.

In addition to her husband, Mathew J. Angevine, Mrs. Angevine leaves a son by a previous marriage, Joseph F. Taylor, sr.; a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington, both of Washington, and two brothers, Josiah F. Chichester and Herman F. Chichester, both of Alexandria. She also leaves five grandchildren.

Charles T. Pfeiffer

Funeral services fro Charles Theodore Pfeiffer, 52, salesman, will be held today at 1 p. m., at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se. Interment will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Mr. Pfeiffer

Mr. Pfeiffer died Monday in Providence Hospital from a cerebral hemorrhage.

A native Washingtonian, he had been a salesman for the Ward Baking Co. for the past 24 years. An Army veteran of World War I, he was a member of Kenna Main American Legion Post. He was an ardent baseball and football fan and fisherman.

Mr. Pfeiffer is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bessie L. Pfeiffer, who lives at 723 12th st. se.; his mother, Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer, and a brother, Kirby Pfeiffer, both of Washington.

I. J. Fox Dies; Built $3.50 Into a Fortune

New York, Dec. 17 (NYHT).—I. J. Fox, 58, who came to New York from London in 1907 with 28 shillings, about $3.50, and developed what was said to be the largest retail fur business in the world, died today in his home at the Beekman Hotel, of a heart ailment.

Mr. Fox

Few knew his full name was Irving Joseph Fox and fewer still that friends called him "Joe."

Advertising was his meat. "I. J. Fox" was emblazoned in white smoke over the skies for the last 20 years to remind observers that he had stores here and in Cleveland, Boston, Philadelphia, Hollywood and Miami. His advertising budget was said to total one million dollars yearly.

He sponsored the "Fox Fur Trappers," one of the early commercial broadcasts.

He entered manufacturing and retailing in 1921. In 1930 he was on Fifth Avenue. The branches soon followed.

In World War I he served as a private with the 304th Field Artillery, of the famous Seventy-seventh Infantry Division, and saw action in the Argonne Forest.

On his office wall are photographs of Mr. Fox with former President Herbert Hoover and an invitation from Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt to attend a party at the White House on March 18, 1941.

There is also a papal blessing to the Fox family from Pope Pius XI and given in 1933.

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ALLEN, ELIZABETH CHRISTIAN, On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at Frederick, Md., ELIZABETH CHRISTIAN ALLEN of 3722 12th st. se., beloved aunt of Mrs. Mary J. Dorsheim of Mount Airy, Md. Friends may call at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home after 2 p. m. Thursday. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 9 a. m. Thence to St. Anthony's Catholic Church, 12th and Monroe sts. ne., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered at 9:30 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

ANGEVINE, BERTHA M. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Providence Hospital, BERTHA M. ANGEVINE (nee Chichester) of 2711 12th st. ne., beloved wife of Mathew J. Angevine and mother of Joseph F. Taylor, sr., former marriage. Funeral from the Timothy Hanlon Funeral Home, 3831 Georgia ave. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 8 a. m. High requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church, 12th and Monroe sts. ne., at 9:30 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

ANGEVINE, BERTHA M. All members of the Guard of Honor of the District of Columbia Department, Catholic War Veterans, are requested to assemble at the Timothy Hanlon Funeral Home, 3831 Georgia ave. Nw., at 8:15 p. m., Thursday, December 18, to offer departure prayers for our late friend BERTHA M. ANGEVINE.

HOWARD D. WILFERT, Captain.
R. L. GILBERT, Adjutant.

BEALL, WALTER E. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, WALTER E. BEALL of Brookeville, Md., beloved husband of Marie Beall and brother of Milton H. and James P. Beall and Mrs. McGill Grove and Mrs. Elizabeth Miller. Mr. Beall rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Friday, December 19, at 11 a. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

BENSON, BURTON LEE. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at his residence, La Plata, Md., BURTON LEE BENSON, beloved father of Mrs. Julia A. Beale. Service at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Friday, December 19, at 11:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Addison Chapel Cemetery, Seat Pleasant, Md.

BOWERS, JOHN E. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Providence Hospital, JOHN E. BOWERS, beloved husband of Frances L. Bowers and father of David E. and Arthur F. Bowers. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. nw., where services will be held on Friday, December 19, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BRYAN, ELEANOR. On Monday, December 15, 1947, at her residence, the Shoreham Hotel, ELEANOR BRYAN, sister of the late Dr. Joseph H. Bryan and Miss Elizabeth Bryan. Services will be held at Cawley's Chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 11 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

BURTON, CLAUDE J. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at his residence, 1247 Maplevine pl. se., CLAUDE J. BURTON, beloved husband of Emma J. Burton and father of Robert and Edward Burton. Funeral services at the Simmons Bros. Funeral Home, 2007 Nichols ave. se., on Friday, December 19, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery, Baltimore, Md. (Charlottesville, Va., papers please copy.)

CASSIDY, LAURA ADELL (Della). On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at her residence, 1014 Mass. ave. nw., Mrs. LAURA ADELL CASSIDY (Della), wife of the late Bernard Patrick Cassidy and beloved mother of Elmer J. Cassidy and Mrs. Elsie Cassidy Miller. Remains resting at Hysong's Funeral Home, 1300 N st. nw., where prayers will be said on Saturday, December 20, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's Church, 10th and O sts. nw., where mass will be said at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

CECIL, THOMAS W. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Emergency Hospital, THOMAS W. CECIL, husband of Anne Cecil, father of Dewey D. Thomas W. and Max E. Cecil. Remains resting at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., until Thursday, December 18, at 3:30 p. m. Services and interment in High Point, N. C.

COHEN, IRVING. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, IRVING COHEN of 917 Shepherd st. nw., beloved husband of Leah Cohen, and devoted father of Wallace, Joyce and Alan Cohen. He is also survived by his father, Sol D. Cohen, and three sisters, Mrs. Julius Spivak, Mrs. Ruth Slutkowitz and Mrs. Evelyn Belkov. Funeral service at the Bernard Danzansky & Son Funeral Home, 3301 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 11 o'clock. Interment B'nai Israel Cemetery.

COLLINS, THOMAS. On Sunday, December 14, 1947, THOMAS COLLINS, cousin of David Grady. Funeral from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4813 Georgia ave. Graveside services at Arlington National Cemetery on Thursday, December 18, at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

FAIRALL, A. MINNIE. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, Mrs. A. MINNIE FAIRALL of 3345 Nichols ave. se., mother of E. Alvie Fairall and James L. Fairall. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to the Church of Assumption, Highwise pl. and Nichols ave. se., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

FLETCHER, PVT. NORMAN F. C. Killed in action in Germany on January 30, 1945, PVT. NORMAN F. C. FLETCHER, beloved husband of Elizabeth M. Fletcher, father of Francis L. and Charles W. Fletcher, son of Annie B. Smith, Norman Fletcher and brother of Mrs. Helen Kroon and Woodrow Fletcher. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FOLEY, MARY E. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at Providence Hospital, MARY E. FOLEY of 1343 Otis pl. nw., beloved daughter of the late Bartholomew and Mary A. Foley and sister of William C. and Alyse M. Foley and Mrs. Thomas M. Gallagher. Funeral notice later.

GIBSON, KATHERINE C. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Leland Memorial Hospital, KATHERINE C. GIBSON of 4907 Addison rd., Kenilworth, Md., daughter of Isaac Nicholas and the late Elizabeth Nicholas, beloved wife of Thomas S. Gibson and mother of William C. and Barbara F. Louriota and Helen C. Gibson. Funeral from the Timothy Hanlon Funeral Home, 641 H st. ne., on Friday, December 19, at 8:30 a. m. High requiem mass at Holy Name Church at 9 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

GILLMORE, VIVIENNE A. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at her residence, 1240 North Vermont st., Arlington, Va., VIVIENNE A. GILLMORE, beloved wife of W. B. Gillmore and mother of Desm Gillmore. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., until 8:45 a. m. Friday, December 19; thence to St. Charles Catholic Church, where funeral services will be held at 9:15 a. m. Interment National Memorial Park, near Falls Church, Va.

HALEY, MAJ. AUSTIN, U. S. ARMY. Suddenly, on Thursday, December 11, 1947, at Memphis, Tenn., MAJ. AUSTIN E. HALEY, U. S. Army, the beloved husband of Maxine Haley, father of Dennis, Patrick and Marshall Haley. Services at Fort Myer Chapel on Friday, December 19, at 2 p. m. Interment private. Services by Chambers.

HARBERS, SGT. HERMAN, USA (Retired). On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at U. S. Naval Hospital, HERMAN HARBERS, the beloved husband of Elizabeth J. Harbers and father of Mrs. Annette Given, Miss Adelaide Harbers and Mrs. Charles Allen, grandfather of Gordon Given and Charles Allen, jr. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 9:30 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

HOFFER, HENRY. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, HENRY HOFFER, beloved husband of Katie Hoffer; father of William Hoffer, John Hoffer and Mrs. Margaret Richards; brother of Anna Smith. Funeral from the W. W. Deal Funeral Home, 4813 Georgia ave. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 10:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HUNTER, ANNA LOUISE. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, ANNA LOUISE HUNTER, beloved daughter of Mrs. Estelle E. Hunter of 1531 West Falkland lane, Silver Spring, Md., and the late Dr. Edwin C. Hunter. Miss Hunter rests at Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Friday, December 19, at 3:30 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

HUNTINGTON, CARL D. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at Emergency Hospital, CARL D. HUNTINGTON of 4616 15th st. nw., brother of George W. Huntington of New York and Maurice B. Huntington of Rochester, N. Y. Services will be held at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 12 noon. Interment private.

JARBOE, JOHN IRVING. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Prince Georges Hospital, JOHN IRVING JARBOE of 3505 37th ave., Colmar Manor, Md., husband of Bertha Aukam Jarboe. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Funeral services at Fort Lincoln Chapel on Friday, December 19, at 2 p. m.

JARVIS, ANNA G. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at her residence, 2039 New Hampshire ave. nw., ANNA G. JARVIS, wife of Grant Jarvis and mother of Walter B. Jarvis, Roy F. Jarvis, Sneedville, Tenn.; Mrs. C. B. Whalow of Berkeley, Calif., and Mrs. C. V. Elwell of Havre, Mont. Friends may call at Gawler's Funeral Home, 1756 Penn. ave. nw. Notice of services later.

JOHNSTON, Dr. EARL S. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at his residence, 4400 Beachwood rd., College Heights, Md., Dr. EARL S. JOHNSTON, husband of Virginia Andes Johnston. Private services and interment Friday, December 19.

KLINE, ROBERT NELSON. On Wednesday, November 17, 1947, at his residence, 704 Maryland ave. ne., ROBERT NELSON KLINE, beloved husband of Mary Jane Kline and brother of Joseph and William Kline and Mrs. Ida Thompson. Friends may call at the Robert A. Mattingly Funeral Home, 121 11th st. se., where services will be held on Friday, November 19, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

LEEK, MARION E. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, at Sibley Memorial Hospital, MARION E. LEEK of 2314 20th st. ne., the beloved husband of Mary E. Leek. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 19, at 6 p. m. Interment in Oxford, Chester County, Pa., Saturday, December 20.

LUMPKINS, PORTER McLEAN. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at his residence, 3747 W st. nw., PORTER McLEAN LUMPKINS, beloved husband of Addessa Austin Lumpkins; father of Porter Austin Lumpkins; brother of Mrs. Jane Moore of Lawrenceburg, Tenn.; Mrs. Charlie Kraus, Mrs. James F. Parks, Mrs. Thomas W. McKee of Atlanta, Ga.; Barney Lumpkins of Bermuda; William and Jack Lumpkins, both in service. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 1 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

METZGER, CHARLES. On Monday, December 15, 1947, CHARLES METZGER, beloved husband of the late Jessie M. Metzger and father of Garth L. Le Roy Metzger, from his late residence, 413 Gallatin st. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

MILLER, EMMA T. On Monday, December 15, 1947, at her residence, 4300 32nd st. nw., EMMA T. MILLER, beloved wife of William C. Miller and sister of Mrs. W. E. Cotterell, Mrs. Burton Waugh, Mrs. C. E. Brown, Mrs. George Lease and George J. Dreyer. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 18, at 2 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

MILLS, GERTRUDE ELLEN. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at Georgetown University Hospital, Mrs. GERTRUDE ELLEN MILLS of 4605 Oliver st., Riverdale, Md., beloved wife of Russell S. Mills, mother of Constance Mills and sister of Marguerite Perrier, Jeannette Wootten, Mildred Emory, William J. Deeton, Dorothy Fields, Maurice E. Mandy and Robert H. Deeton. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 19, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Jerome's Catholic Church, Hyattsville, Md., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

MORGAN, OLIVER H. On Wednesday, December 17, 1947, OLIVER H. MORGAN, the beloved husband of Agnes M. Morgan and father of Oliver H. Morgan, jr., Raymond F. and Helen E. Morgan and Mary Yates. Prayers at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 20, 1947, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Peter's Catholic Church, 2d and C sts. se., at 9 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

ODLAND, JACOBS SEVERIN. On Tuesday, December 16, 1947, at his residence, 4617 North Liberty st., Arlington, Va., JACOBS SEVERIN ODLAND, beloved husband of Georgia G. Odland and father of David N. and Margaret P. Odland. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., where funeral services will be held Thursday, December 18, at 2 p. m. Interment National Memorial Park, near Falls Church, Va.

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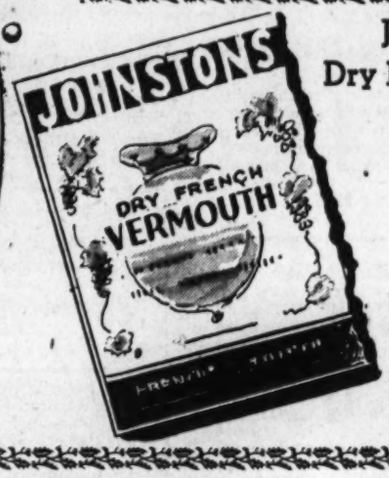

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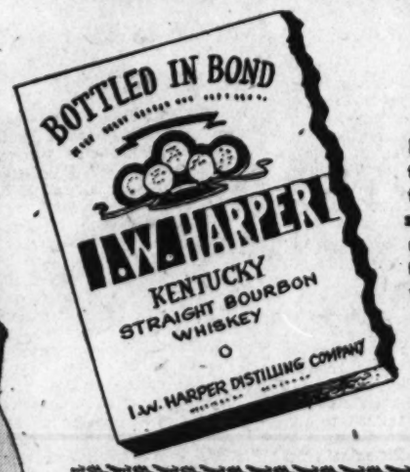

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Astronomer Caculates Earth Missed Comet By Millions of Miles on Nearest Approach

Berkeley, Calif., Dec. 17 (AP).—The earth missed the tail of the new comet 1947-N by many million miles at its closest approach between December 2 and December 8, Dr. Leland E. Cunningham, University of California astronomer, reported today.

Dr. Cunningham found that the comet was nearest the sun on December 2, six days prior to its discovery, and at that time probably was more brilliant than Venus, brightest star in the evening sky.

The comet now is moving away and soon will be visible only through astronomical telescopes.

Dr. Cunningham made his calculations without having seen the comet on observations sent to him from South Africa.

Rush-Hour Fire At Decorator's Ties Up Traffic

A rush-hour fire of undetermined origin yesterday destroyed $10,000 worth of materi in an interior decorating shop on the second floor of 1107 ' st. nw.

Tying up rush-hour traffic for more than an hour, the blaze, which broke out in the shop of Peter K. Faerber about 4:30 p. m., did only superficial smoke damage to the Harrington Valet Shop on the same floor and to barber supplies stored on the floor above by the Union Barber Supply Co.

No one was injured in the fire, although half a dozen people were on the second floor of the four-story building. The structure is owned by the Perpetual Building Association, located next door at 1100 E st. nw.

Named to B. & O. Post

John R. Wall, former resident of Washington and member of the law firm of Cleary, Gottlieb, Friendly & Cox here, has been appointed assistant general attorney of the B. & O. Railroad, with headquarters in Baltimore.

A. T. & T. Dealings

Commission Examines Va. Phone Men

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Counsel for the State Corporation Commission today cross-examined two witnesses for the Chesapeake and PotomacTelephone Co. of Virginia on licensing contract agreements between the company and American and Telegraph and on charges for equipment and supplies by Western Electric.

The two witnesses cross-examined by Blake T. Newton, jr., SCC counsel, were Arthur L. Lanigan, assistant vice president of C & P of Virginia and three other C & P companies, and Robert W. Thomas, engineer in charge of a price survey group in Western's department of operating and engineering.

Western Electric, like C & P of Virginia and a majority of other Bell system companies, si owned by American Telephone and Telegraph. It manufactures most of, and supplies all of the telephonic apparatus and devices which the operating companies need.

When Newton asked Thomas if he didn't consider Western had an "assured" market in the Bell companies, Thomas said that despite the fact that 95 per cent of the company's sales are made to the AT & T affiliates, he didn't necessarily consider this an "assured market."

The hearing will be resumed at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Sewage Plan Wins Approval In Arlington

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—The State Water Control Board approved today Arlington County's plans for a 20-million-gallon capacity sewage disposal plant, despite a contention on the part of county officials that they have no idea where they will get the money to build the plant.

Only a short time earlier, A. T. Lundberg, Arlington County manager, told the board that such a facility would cost $1,200,000 to construct and that voters of the county, in a referendum recently, turned down a proposed bond issue with which to finance capital improvements, not including the treatment plant.

Lundberg then was informed by T. Brady Saunders, a member of the board, that he had been asked to present a "progress report" on Arlington's activities to its pollution problems in Four-Mile Run.

"What you're actually saying," Saunders continued, "is that the situation is dormant, isn't it?"

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Richard Messer, State Health Department sanitation engineer, said the plans had come to his office for approval only "early in the week." Amid laughter from board members and Arlington officials, he announced they had been approved by him and the board, after hearing his report read, agreed also to approve them.

Earlier, Lundberg admitted to the board that the county's present sewage treatment plant has a capacity of five million gallons per day, but that the discharge now is 11 million gallons, with the surplus matter going untreated into Four-Mile Run.

The proposed plant, which may be equipped with a sludge incinerator, is planned to care for a population of 200,000, or about 70,000 more than the present number of residents in Arlington County.

C. L. Watkins, Alexandria city engineer, told the board that a disposal system for the city which would have cost $1,800,000 in 1939 now would cost upwards of $3,500,000, and he said the city is near the legal limit of its bonded indebtedness.

Watkins said the problem of sewage, however, is of major importance to his city and would be handled as soon as possible.

Two District of Columbia officials, Harold A. Kemp, director of sanitary engineering, and Ralph E. Fuhrman, superintendent of the sewage treatment plant, outlined to the board the problem, which they termed "minor" at present, of the District's dumping its sewage sludge at Lorton workhouse on Pohick Creek in Virginia.

15 Tracts Rezoned in Prince Georges

Rezoning of 3 tracts for apartment use, 11 for commercial use and 1 for industrial use was approved yesterday by Prince Georges County Commissioners.

The commissioners, following public hearings yesterday at Hyattsville, rejected one commercial rezoning and continued three commercial and one apartment application until January 21.

Largest of the three apartment project rezonings affects property owned by Alexander Hassen between Prince Georges General Hospital and the rear of Cheverly Theater. T. Howard Duckett, Hassett's attorney, said garden-type apartments with from 200 to 300 units to cost approximately $1,500,000 are planned.

Three acres on the west side of Edmonston rd. at Gallatin st., Edmonston, were rezoned to permit construction of a 75-unit apartment to cost $400,00. The rezoning was requester by Thomas V. Lake.

The third apartment rezoning was mode to permit an apartment in Radiant Valley near Landover. This rezoning was asked by the Radiant Valley Improvement Co. This company also was granted commercial rezoning on a block on Old Landover rd. between Coopers lane and Miles Way.

Apartment zoning for property in Chestnut Hills subdivision, Beltsville, requested by Ralph W. Powers, attorney, was postponed. The request has been opposed by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Petitions approved were:

Nellie Stewart, owner, residential to commercial of one lot in the 4800 block Navahoe ave., Lakeland.

Sam Legana, owner, three applications for rezoning of acreage to commercial at Marlboro pike and Walker Mill rd., near District Heights.

Robert L. Holland, residential to commercial of land on the south side of Central ave., opposite Brightseat rd., between Largo and Seat Pleasant.

G. Albert Gude and Joseph P. Abraham, contract owners, residential to commercial of four lots on the Baltimore blvd. at Pontiac st., Berwyn.

Anthony and Katherine Campagna, owners, residential to commercial one lot and part of another on the Baltimore blvd., Beltsville.

Ralph W. Powers, attorney for owner, residential to commercial of a portion of the Chestnut Hills subdivision and also the Middleton tract at the northeast corner of Baltimore ave. and Old Branchville rd., Berwyn.

Lois Dailey, owner, apartment use zoning to commercial of 7 lots in 6200 block of Marlboro pike, Hillside.

Walter R. Harr, owner, residential to industrial of three lots adjacent to Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Branchville Heights.

John J. Lillard, permit to operate motor court in rear of 5201 Baltimore ave., Hyattsville.

Albert S. Lain and Claude B. Barb, permit to operate garage and gasoline filling station on west side Baltimore blvd., adjoining Autoville.

Disapproved was the application of Freddie E. King for commercial zoning of two lots at Eastern ave. and I st., Deanwood Park.

The commissioners continued the following: Lincoln L. and Johnnie C. Anderson, commercial, one lot at 1115 57th ave., Chapel Oaks; George E. Hill, commercial, one lot in rear of 7000 block of Central ave., Sunnyside subdivision, Seat Pleasant, and Alfred L. Thomas, commercial, 1½ acres on Southern ave. at Wheeler rd., Oxon Hill.

Hungarian Horses Bill Filed

Representative John Jennings, jr., (R., Tenn.) is out to give the State Department a ride on the question of Hungarian horses.

Not a ride on the horses themselves—he thinks the State Department is allergic to horses.

The horses involved are those captured by America's Third Army in Hungary and returned to this country as war booty.

Jennings said he subscribes to the Army idea that the horses are war booty.

To back up the idea, he introduced a House bill yesterday to prohibit turning any of the horses or their offspring back to Hungary.

Military personnel or civilians who caused or permitted the horses to leave this country would be made subject to a maximum penalty of 1 year in jail and a $1000 fine.

State Department plans to transfer the horses to Hungary have been held up while a Senate Armed Services Subcommittee headed by Senator Wayne Morse (R., Ore.) has been investigating. Morse's hearings continue today.

Jennings said "I'm not going to stand by and see a million dollars worth of the best breeding stock in the world turned over to Russia." He said that was where they would wind up if they were given to Hungary.

"I haven't any confidence in the State Department in this matter," he said.

Jennings said "the only thing we got out of the First World War was the flu and the German police dog; we ought to get the horses out of this one."

Popsicle Maker Sees Great Need For 7½-Cent Coin

Baltimore, Dec. 17 (AP).—What this country needs is a god 7½-cent coin.

Such is the opinion of Louis A. Carliner, president of an ice cream concern here. And he admits the idea came to him from a problem in his firm.

His problem is popsicles.

The 5-cent popsicle is out, Carliner contends, because of increased manufacturing costs. But you can't charge 7 or 8 cents, because it would necessitate the handling of several coins — a nemesis to the retailer and a bad selling feature for the buyer. The only thing left to do is to increase the size of the popsicle and charge a dime for it.

But that move isn't practical, Carliner argues, because the consumer wouldn't be able to consume the larger portion before it melts.

The only apparent solution—a 7½-cent coin.

Treasury and State tax officials declined comment.

Baltimore Grocer Is Found Beaten With Hatchet

Baltimore, Dec. 17 (AP).—A 77-year-old Baltimore grocer was found unconscious from gaping head wounds in the rear of his store today, and police said he had apparently been beaten with a hatchet during a holdup.

The grocer, George Lehr, was taken to West Baltimore General Hospital, where doctors said his condition was critical.

A search was started for Lehr late today after several neighborhood children found the grocer's coat and store keys and a blood-stained hatchet on a lot several blocks from the store. The cash register in the store was empty.

He was found by a neighbor behind some piled-up crates.

Doctors Elect Iden

Woodstock, Va., Dec. 16.—Dr. C. H. Iden, Barryville, has been named president of the Medical Society of Northern Virginia at its quarterly meeting here. Other officers named are: Dr. H. W. Miller, Woodstock, vice president, and Dr. F. D. Maphis, jr., secretary-treasurer.

Supervisors Upset Fairfax Zone Ruling

Fairfax County Board of Supervisors, overruling the county's zoning board of appeals, yesterday rezoned 123 acres of land near Penn Daw for use by Mount Comfort Cemetery.

The zoning board in November denied an application for the rezoning on grounds it would take too much land out of taxation. W. M. Orr, president of the cemetery, appealed to the Board of Supervisors.

Fairfax Planning Engineer T. C. Stockton recommended approval after Orr offered to reserve for the county a strip 60 feet wide for a road and drainage. Andrew W. Clarke, attorney opposing the rezoning, asserted that, according to county death figures, it will take more than 1000 years to fill the cemetery. At present the cemetery has 157 acres.

The board deferred action until January on a health department request for an additional $2150 for the school health program.

Wife Separated From Attorney Asks $900 a Month

A permanent alimony of $900 a month for herself and her three children was asked yesterday by Mrs. Albert E. Brault, wife of a Washington attorney, from whom she is separated.

In suit filed in Montgomery County Circuit Court, Mrs. Brault, 5541 Wessling pl., Bethesda, claimed through her attorney that Brault, former county trial magistrate, of 4808 Bradley blvd., Bethesda, earned $20,000 this year.

Custody of the children had been awarded Brault by Montgomery Circuit Court but when the case was appealed, the lower court was reversed and Mrs. Brault received custody of the children.

Judge Charles W. Woodward has ordered Brault to pay Mrs. Brault $250 a month until the court delivers its verdict.

First Farm Mortgage Under New Law Placed

Madison, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—The first insured farm mortgage loan in Virginia under recent congressional legislation aimed at helping veterans, tenants, sharecroppers, farm laborers and small farmers to improve their lot will be completed here tomorrow with Spurgeon L. Harlow of UNO on the receiving end.

The State Bank of Madison will make the loan and the Farmers Home Administration will fully insure it.

The borrowed money will be used by Harlow and his wife to purchase a 206-acre farm in Locust Dale district a mile and a half east of Rochelle.

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BEVERLY 15th and F N.E. LI. 3300. Mat. 1 P.M.
Robert Young, Robert Mitchum in "CROSS-FIRE" at 1:35, 3:35, 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

CALVERT 2324 Wis. Ave. N.W. WO. 2345. Mat. 1 P.M.
Tyrone Power, Joan Blondell "NIGHTMARE ALLEY" 1:10, 3:15, 5:20, 7:25, 9:35.

CENTRAL 423 9th St. N.W. ME. 2941. Opens 10:45 A.M.
Glenn Davis, Doe Blanchard in "SPIRIT OF WEST POINT" at 11, 1:40, 4:20, 7, 9:40. George O'Brien in "BORDER G-MAN" at 12:40, 3:20, 6, 8:40.

KENNEDY Kennedy Nr. 4th N.W. RA. 6600. Mat. 1 P.M.
Rex Harrison, Maureen O'Hara in "FOXES OF HARROW" at 1, 3:05, 5:10, 7:20, 9:25.

PEMP Pa. Ave. at 7th S.E. FR. 3200. Mat. 1 P.M.
Alan Ladd, Dorothy Lamour in "WILD HARVEST" at 1:05, 3:15, 5:15, 7:20, 9:25.

SHERIDAN Geo. Ave. & Sheridan RA. 3400. Mat. 1 P.M.
Glenn Davis, Doe Blanchard "SPIRIT OF WEST POINT" 1:10, 3:50, 4:30, 6:15, 8, 9:40.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike SH. 2300. Mat. 1 P.M.
Linda Darnell, Cornel Wilde in "FOREVER AMBER" 1:25, 4:10, 6:50, 9:35. Prices this engagement only—Mat., 74c; eve., $1.20; children, 55c at all times. (Prices include tax.)

TIVOLI 14th & Park Rd. N.W. CO. 1000. Mat. 1 P.M.
Alan Ladd, Dorothy Lamour in "WILD HARVEST" at 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25, 9:25.

UPTOWN Conn. Ave. & Newark WO. 5400. Mat. 1 P.M.
Robert Young, Robert Mitchum in "CROSS-FIRE" at 1:40, 3:40, 5:35, 7:35, 9:35.

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Franchot Tone, Lucille Ball in "HER HUSBAND'S AFFAIRS" at 6, 7:50, 9:45.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2600
Cornel Wilde, Maureen O'Hara in "HOME-STRETCH" at 6, 7:50, 9:40.

AVE. GRAND 645 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2400
Deborah Kerr in "THE ADVENTURESS" at 6, 7:50, 9:45.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 8500
Lucille Ball, Franchot Tone in "HER HUSBAND'S AFFAIRS" at 6:20, 8, 9:40.

HOME 1230 C St. N.E. TR. 3133
Victor Mature in "KISS OF DEATH" at 6:15, 9:25. Dennis Morgan, Jane Wyman in "BAD MEN OF MISSOURI" at 8:10.

MacARTHUR 4859 MacArthur Blvd. N.W. OR. 4600
Tyrone Power, Joan Blondell in "NIGHTMARE ALLEY" at 7:05, 9:40.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. CO. 4969
"INVISIBLE WALL" at 8:30, 3:10, 9:50.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2545. Parking Space
John Hodiak, Lizabeth Scott in "DESERT FURY" at 6:40, 9:40. George O'Brien in "GUNLAW" at 8:13.

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James Cagney in "EACH DAWN I DIE" at 6:40, 9:20. Roland Young, Constance Bennett in "TOPPER TAKES A TRIP" at 8:05.

YORK Ga. Ave. & Quebec Pl. N.W. RA. 4400
Burt Lancaster, in "BRUTE FORCE" at 6, 7:55, 9:50.

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Spanish Translation

Great Director, This Montgomery

By Richard L. Coe

FOR OUR MONEY, Robert Montgomery is one of the most interesting chaps now making pictures. "Ride the Pink Horse," his latest, opened yesterday at Keith's, and if you can sneak some hours from the next week's busy moments you'll find it thoroughly worthwhile.

As he did "Lady in the Lake," Montgomery directed this Ben Hecht-Charles Lederer script and plays the leading role. It's not always a plausible leading role, but Montgomery is hard-hitting enough to draw you along with him. The story, thank heavens, is comparatively different and several supporting parts are finely done.

Montgomery plays a hard-speaking Easterner after money and revenge in a New Mexico border town. He has an incriminating check that a war profiteer is willing to pay money for. A Federal agent also is after the check, for it will prove Uncle Sam's case against the heel. But Montgomery's anxious to handle the deal on his own to avenge the death of a wartime buddy who pulled the blackmail stunt but lost his life in the try. The story is from a novel by Dorothy B. Hughes.

But it is in setting and characters that Director Montgomery makes the film effective. The border town springs to life through an almost fearless use of Spanish—or whatever dialect those border Mexicans speak. You don't miss a thing by not following the shifts in this bilingual banter, for Montgomery brings the screen back to its primary role—telling the story by pictures. Don't get the idea from this that English isn't spoken here. The Spanish is in just a few incidents, but hearing the natives speak in their own tongue is a vital force in this picture.

The soundtrack as a whole is especially commendable. There's an exhilarating lack of background music and some scenes go for seconds at a time without a word of dialogue, just the way ordinary things happen in reality. And the dialogue you do hear is vivid and neatly spoken.

Honest Fadeout

There's also a fine touch in the character of a little Mexican girl who takes an immediate liking to Montgomery, gives him her good luck charm and pulls a knife out of his neck at an appropriate moment. She's handled with exceptional film honesty at the end, for she doesn't go dashing off East with her gringo. Instead, she amuses her pals by telling them of her curious adventure.

Wanda Hendrix plays this neat role and plays it beautifully. Her final scene, excitedly adding gestures to her native lingo for the benefit of her playmates, is a delightful exhibition.

Another native who comes to Bob's aid is richly acted by Thomas Gomez. This raffish character runs a small carousel (which gives the film its title) and his only request of life—good friends—makes him a fellow rare in the usual rat race one picks up in the movies.

The Federal agent, too, is persuasively played by Art Smith, colorless, unexciting and observant. And Director Montgomery has seen to it that Actor Montgomery is on his toes. Once more, we're impressed with Montgomery's effective use of his voice. Remembering, for instance, his whining Cockney Danny of "Night Must Fall," one can't help being struck by the snarling, troubled voice he uses in this part.

Besides the scriptwriters and their megaphonist, one must put in a good word for Producer Joan Harrison. Miss Harrison, who worked so long with Alfred Hitchcock, has overseen the entire film with an air of crisp efficiency.

Yes, "Ride the Pink Horse" is an interesting picture, made by people who seem to have had some clew as to what they were doing. Which is a pack more than you can say of most of our slipshod product.

Also on Keith's screen is an 18-minute review of "Football 1947."

"RIDE THE PINK HORSE." Universal-International release produced by Joan Harrison. Screenplay by Ben Hecht and Charles Lederer from a novel by Dorothy B. Hughes. Directed by Robert Montgomery. At Keith's.

THE CAST

Gagin	Robert Montgomery
Pancho	Thomas Gomez
Carla	Rita Conde
Marie	Iris Flores
Pilo	Wanda Hendrix
Mr. Edison	Grandon Rhodes
Bellboy	Tito Renaldo
Jonathan	Richard Gaines
Marjorie	Andrea King
Bill Retz	Art Smith
Barkeeper	Martin Garralaga
Locke	Edward Earle
Red	Harold Goodwin
Elevator Girl	Maria Cortez
Hugo	Fred Clark

LAST NIGHT'S "sneak preview" at the Capitol, in case you're wondering what you missed, was "Killer McCoy," the Mickey Rooney, non-Hardy film which opens Christmas Eve at the F st. house.

TONIGHT at 8:30 the American University Theater plays "Outward Bound," the Sutton Vane fantasy of a death ship, on the new Clendenen Gymnasium stage. Director Mary Frances Miller's cast includes William Cowan, Robert Stevens, Marian Radley, Leonard Kaufman, Margery Ehle, Barbara Jennings, Leslie Bruce and Deem Gilmore. The play will be repeated tomorrow night. Further information at WOodley 6800.

SIDNEY LUST'S Christmas parties in five of his Maryland theaters this year will aid Community Chest welfare agencies in their respective counties. The shows go on tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, with canned food or toys as admission charge; these "barter" receipts will be turned over to needy families. At all the theaters, prominent radio masters will be emcees. Bill Brundige will be at the Cheverly, Bob Knight at the Kaywood, Art Brown at the Bethesda, Bill Hunnicutt at the Hyattsville and Meredith Young at the Milo.

IN A WESTERN! Her decollete chic may not suggest the setting, but Vera Ralston shares honors with William Elliott in "Wyoming," the western adventure film opening this morning at the Capitol

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STAGE

National—"Sweethearts," Bobby Clark in Victor Herbert's musical, at 8:30 p. m.

Catholic University—"Jenny Kissed Me," a new comedy by Jean Kerr, at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque continuous from 12 noon to 5 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Warner—"I Love Trouble," Franchot Tone, Janet Blair and Janis Carter in a comedy-melodrama, at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Palace—"Where There's Life," Bob Hope frivolities, with Signe Hasso and William Bendix, at 11:35 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Capitol—"Wyoming," William Elliott, one of the Western kings, takes over with Vera Ralston and Gabby Hayes, at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:30 and 9:15 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Ride the Pink Horse," Robert Montgomery, an unusual melodrama and a new leading lady, Wanda Hendrix, at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"It Had to Be You," Ginger Rogers, Cornel Wilde and an imaginary Indian romantically involved, at 10:40 a. m., 12:50, 3:05, 5:20, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m. Technicolor wedding pictures, at 12:20, 2:35, 4:50, 7 and 9:15 p. m.

Columbia—"Golden Earrings," Marlene Dietrich as a Gypsy who saves Col. Ray Milland from the Nazis, at 11:20 a. m., 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Little—"Miracle on 34th Street," Edmund Gwenn as Santa vs. Macy's and Gimbel's, at 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:20, 5:30, 7:45 and 10 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Green for Danger," a mystery yarn from the makers of "The Lady Vanishes," at 2:18, 4:09, 6, 7:51 and 9:42 p. m.

Pix—"Scarface," at 2, 5:10 and 8:20 p. m. "Hell's Angels," at 3:30, 6:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Ambassador—"I Love Trouble," at 1:25, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Short subjects and news reels, continuous from 10:15 a. m. to 12 midnight.

House Defeats Move to End Mileage Fees

By The Associated Press

House members applauded but rejected yesterday a proposal that they "make a little sacrifice" by giving up their customary mileage allowances.

The proposal was advanced as an amendment to an appropriation bill by Representative Wadsworth (R., N. Y.) and was defeated by a standing vote of 143 to 27. Members were not recorded by name.

The bill provided $222,000—$51,000 for Senators and $171,000 for Representatives—to reimburse members for transportation costs of coming to Washington and returning to their homes for the present session. Allowances are computed at the rate of 20 cents a mile each way.

Wadsworth told his colleagues that the people are being asked "to make very considerable sacrifices" and "it would be proper and appropriate for Congress to indicate that it is willing to give up something of this sort."

Although Wadsworth was cheered, the majority apparently had the same idea as House Republican Leader Halleck of Indiana. He said the mileage fund is "entirely justified and entirely defensible."

Funkhouser Seeks GOP Delegate Post

Ranson, W. Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—R. J. Funkhouser, industrialist and editor and publisher of Jefferson Republican, announced today he will be a candidate for delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention in Philadelphia next summer and is not committed to any particular candidate.

West Virginia will send 16 delegates to the convention, including four at large and delegates and alternates from each of the districts.

Funkhouser was an unsuccessful candidate for the United States Senate in 1942 and lost an attempt for the gubernatorial nomination in 1944.

Informal Attire Bars Alf Landon From Opera Club

New Yorw, Dec. 17 (AP).—Former Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas, Republican presidential candidate in 1936, was barred from the Metropolitan Opera Club Monday night because he was not in formal attire.

Landon, who was the guest of George A. Sloan, president of the Metropolitan Club and chairman of its board of directors, said he "enjoyed the opera hugely and all that went with it." After the first act they went to the club, adjoining the auditorium.

"Anyway," said Landon, obviously amused, "I was barred at the door because I was not wearing tails. And nothing that George said would change the mind of the man at the door who wore a full dress suit.

"I said to George, 'don't worry about me, for I've been barred before from other places because I wasn't wearing tails.'"

Peasants Called Chief Sufferers In Ruble Change

Russian farmers have been especially hard hit by the recent Soviet financial decree, Acting Secretary Lovett told his news conference yesterday on the basis of reports reaching the State Department.

Lovett said the peasants appeared to take a dim view of the decree, which he described as a 90 per cent confiscation of cash.

Still basing himself on reports from Moscow, Lovett said it would be extravagant to believe the Soviet economy was falling apart because of the ruble decree. It does show, he said, that the tightly-controlled Soviet economy was subject to human frailties like any other.

Chest Begins Solicitation of Gifts by Mail

The Community Chest Federation, still short almost 18 per cent of its $3,900,000 goal, yesterday began soliciting contributions by mail in a final effort to go over the top.

Chest officials yesterday reported an additional $4964 had received, which brought the campaign to 82.07 per cent of its quota. Total amount contributed by residents of Greater Washington now stands at $3,200,847.

Campaign units are sending letters to thousands of persons in the hope that "those who have been missed" will be reached. Previous contributors are asked to disregard the appeal if they feel they have given their share.

"The campaign is failing," the letters bluntly state. "Raising less than our goal means that in 1948 some families will go hungry or lack helpful care when needed; illness will be neglected; children will be denied essential care; young people will not have the programs needed for wholesome development."

A Chest spokesman urged all persons who have not contributed to send their checks in immediately, and "not wait for the letter."

"Many responsible agency heads," he declared, "are wondering what kind of a Christmas 1948 will bring to agencies now facing drastic budget cuts."

Checks may be written to the Community Chest Federation and mailed to 1101 M st. nw.

Church Official to Talk

The Rev. Earl H. Tomlin, executive secretary of the Rhode Island Council of Churches, will speak on "Palestine—Land of Promise" at 8 p. m. today in the Hall of Government at George Washington University.

Lucky 107 Get Surplus Autos At WAA Sale Drawing 2800

About 2800 persons showed up yesterday at Washington's Customer Service Center, 4th and Jefferson dr. sw., intent on one thing—buying a car.

Almost 2700 went away disappointed.

It was strictly a matter of luck who was to get a chance at the 107 vehicles, including jeeps and trucks as well as automobiles. The sale, sponsored by the War Assets Administration, was conducted on a lottery basis.

Thus, a man who was 888th to arrive might have drawn the No. 1 bid on the vehicles.

Or, like four men who traveled all night from Pennsylvania to attend the sale, your number might never have been called at all.

"We might as well have stayed at home," Albert Griffis, 32, of Darby, Pa., grumbled.

Said Donald Routzahn, 19, also of Darby:

"I got nothing but a sore back."

Their traveling companions were Joseph J. Vitali, of Essington, and Rudolph Romanelli of Darby.

But luck was with some.

Robert Collins, 27, of Annandale, Va., said he'd picked up a 1940 Ford truck and thought he'd be well satisfied with it "although I haven't seen it yet."

Paul Devine, 26-year-old Catholic University student, bought a '40 or '41 stationwagon for $400, sight unseen.

"You can't go too far wrong on the prices they're getting," he commented.

Howard F. Wentworth, manager of the center, said yesterday's crowd was the largest ever attracted to a surplus property sale. The vehicles were on inspection Monday and Tuesday at Greenbelt, Md., 2d and Virginia ave. sw., and 9th and Maine ave. sw.

Bill of Human Rights Drafted by U. N. Unit

Geneva, Switzerland, Dec. 17 (AP). The United Nations Commission on Human Rights ended a two-weeks conference tonight after drafting the world's first international bill of human rights.

The declaration was proposed for adoption by the U. N. as a body and as such would have only a moral binding force. The covenant would be adopted by U. N. members individually and would be legally binding on each nation which ratified it.

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

THE RICH MEN who galloped gaily into the pro football business in the last few years, buying franchises and eager to tap the promised profits of the game that was blazing to new popularity, are now finding it an expensive hobby—too expensive. They're beginning to unload.

POVICH

The game is still popular, but the profits haven't been forthcoming. Payrolls are too heavy, competition is too rough in some cities, also-ran teams take a fearful beating at the gate, and the losses of some club owners run into hundreds of thousands. Club ownership is losing some of its appeal, to put it gently.

Out in Detroit, Fred Mandel indicates he's ready to sell his National Football League franchise after sinking $500,000 in the club in a futile attempt to come up with a winner. In Los Angeles, Danny Reeves has disposed of a big chunk of his interest in the Rams after estimated losses of $200,000 in the past two years. Brooklyn and Baltimore in the All-America Conference used fresh scratch to continue.

It's significant that a syndicate is preparing to take over the Detroit team. In these times of inflated expense, individual buyers are becoming cautious and rare.

OUR ADVICES are that the payroll of the Rams ran as high as $300,000 this season. That's more than a big league baseball club's payroll, and obviously impractical. A pro football owner has to get the bulk of his expenditures back in six home games, in contrast to the 77-game home schedule of the baseball clubs. The pro football owners are in the middle of a salary squeeze due chiefly to their own stubbornness.

One of the most stubborn is Ted Collins, of the Boston Yankees, whose club never has come close to breaking even in the three or four years he has operated it. Collins knows what can happen to a perennial also-ran. His losses have been astronomical but he is holding out against a pact with the All-America Conference which would eliminate competitive bidding, recognize player rights, and bring player salaries down.

In Washington before the Redskin game last week, Collins addressed his Boston team and took a bow for holding out against the AAC. "Salaries will go down one third, if we join up with the AAC," Collins reportedly told his players, "but I'll never put in with the conference. If it comes to a vote, I'll cast the eternal negative vote."

THE REDSKIN owners, who see their team play to capacity crowds in virtually every Griffith Stadium game, aren't getting rich. One Redskin official has disclosed that if it were not for the exhibition games, they couldn't do much better than break even under their heavy expense. The Redskins were a very profitable enterprise before player salaries rocketed.

In these days, though, the 36,000 capacity of the Redskins' stadium isn't much. They can draw no more when a team like the Bears is the visiting attraction than they do when they play the lowly Lions. Without a park capacity like the 60,000 of the Polo Grounds and the 70,000 of the Yankee Stadium, they can't cash heavily in on the big attraction when it comes along.

The New York Giants discovered the heavy cost of maintaining its holier-than-thou attitude toward the AAC a few weeks ago when they met the Green Bay Packers at the Polo Grounds on the same day the Yankees were playing Cleveland at Yankee Stadium. Making no attempt to stagger their dates, the Giants saw the Yankees outdraw them 2 to 1, in what used to be one of the Giants' big games.

THE PRACTICAL MAN in the National Football League is Alexis Thompson, owner of the Philadelphia Eagles, who has seen his payroll leap from $85,000 before the war to $225,000 this season, and obviously doesn't like the trend. He is the only owner who has spoken out for recognition of the Conference in a common draft of college players.

The high cost of the war between the two leagues stems from the NFL's contention that it got into the business first and that the Conference is muscling into the game which the NFL popularized. Their claims may be true, but the Conference apparently is here to stay and the NFL is helping to pick up the check for the inflated costs.

26,000, To Be Exact

Paper Asks Details On Sugar Bowl Tickets

New Orleans, Dec. 17 (AP).—The Times-Picayune tonight called on the New Orleans Mid-winter Sports Association to explain the disposition of 26,000 Sugar Bowl tickets for which, it said, no accounting has been made.

An article published tonight said inquiries concerning the disposition of the tickets were begun after the newspaper receevd a letter reportng that one Sugar Bowl ticket had been offered the letter writer for $50 by a speculator, with four tickets being offered at $150.

Same Corenswet, president of the mid-winter sports association, sponsor of the the Sugar Bowl, was not available for comment but the Times-Picayune said "he did not feel he should make public this (requested) information without the approval of fellow members of the association."

Breakdown Asked

The article pointed out that the Sugar Bowl seats approximately 72,000 per sons. It said the association announced that 24,500 tickets went to the University of Alabama and the University of Texas. Another 21,000, it said, are available to holders of Sugar Bowl stadium bonds.

"What happened to the other 26,000 tickets has not been explained in detail by the Midwinter Sports Association," the article said.

"Some of them went to members of the association, others went to representatives of the press and radio. Others have been set aside for distinguished visitors. Others went to guarantors who underwrote the cost of the first Sugar Bowl games," it said.

"However, just how many tickets went to each group has not been announced—and probably will not be made public this year," the article continued.

Paper Asks For Details

The Times-Picayune said Coreswet has been asked to make public the following information:

1. The number of tickets distributed.
2. The number of these tickets which went to original guarantors.
3. The number of tickets which went to bondholders.
4. The number of tickets which went to the respective universities whose teams are playing in the bowl January 1.
5. What became of the balance—if any.

The article quoted Corenswet as saying the matter probably would not be considered by the association until its next regular meeting on January 2 or January 8, as he did not consider the matter "of sufficient importance to justify a special meeting of the association."

W & L's Lukens Awarded Trophy

Lexington, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Jim Lukens of Swarthmore, Pa., tonight became the first recipient of the Forest Fletcher Memorial Trophy to be presented annually to the outstanding varsity track man at Washington and Lee University.

The presentation was made during the intermission of the Washington and Lee-Maryland basketball game by Mrs. Fletcher, widow of the school's greatest track coach who served at Washington and Lee from 1914 until his death in 1945.

Fletcher was a member of the American Olympic Committee and once served as president of the Southern Conference. He was a member of the United States Olympics team competing in Stockholm in 1912.

Caps Shade Baltimore By 66 to 64

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

The Washington Capitols scored their third straight Basketball Association of America win last night, nosing out the Baltimore Bullets, 66-64, before 2300 Uline Arena fans.

The lead changed hands nine times in the first quarter with the Capitols finally on top, 14-12, as the first 12-minute session ended. Forward Johnny Norlander was the hot-handed Capitol with three baskets and two free throws.

The battling Baltimoreans, led by their coach and stellar guard, Bud Jeanette, kept plugging away, however, an dtied the count at 27-27 midway the second quarter. The Caps held a seven-point margin early in the period when Sonny Hertzberg, their latest acquisition, threw in three long set shots.

With the score knotted at 27-27, Bones McKinney swept into action and when he was through the Caps were out in front by a comfrotable 37-29 half-time margin.

McKinney scored 6 points in 14 seconds. He followed up a long shot by Bob Feerick for goal No. 1, hooked in one from the pivot for his second basket and then followed up an errant free throw for his third straight bucket.

The Bullets using a fast break to an advantage, ran the Caps dizzy in the third period and midway the quarter pulled up to within one point at 43-42, to Washington, but once again McKinney turned on the gas. He looped in a long set shot to make it 45-42 Washington just before the period ended. Hertzberg swished in a free throw and the Capt entered the last period ahead by 46-42.

Shannon, Aussie Great, May Race in Widener

Miami, Fla., Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Shannon, Australian thoroughbred sprinter and handicap champion, was nominated today for the McLennan and Wideener Stakes at Hialeah race course here this winter.

Shannon arrived in California last month where he is training also for Santa Anita stakes. He is regarded as the greatest horse to come from Australia since the ill-fated Phar Lap in 1933.

Results

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Navy	59	Catholic U.	34
Stroudsburg	51	Trenton State	41
Washington and Lee	70	Maryland	64
Columbia	60	Holy Cross	52
Duke	71	McCrary	34
Villanova	85	Lehigh	45
Muhlenberg	60	Penn	53
Lafayette	69	Swarthmore	31
Bucknell	46	Penn State	42
Wake Forest	73	Hanes	62
George Washington	75	Richmond	53

COLLEGE SWIMMING

Slippery Rock	49	Carnegie Tech	26

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

JACKIE MEETS HIS NEW BOSS—Jackie Robinson, who performed at first base for the Dodgers last year under Manager Burt Shotton, shook hands yesterday with his new boss, Manager Leo Durocher, who returns after a year's absence. The two met in Los Angeles, where Robinson was tendered a luncheon by UCLA, his alma mater

Colonials Top Richmond Five

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17.—Unbeaten George Washington University registered its seventh straight victory of the season here tonight by easily whipping University of Richmond, 75-53.

Art Cerra paced the Colonials as he pumped 19 points through the hoops. The loss was the second straight for Richmond, which has yet to win.

Randolph-Macon College Wins 40-39 Thriller

Front Royal, Va., Dec. 17.—In a closely contested basketball game here this afternoon the Randolph-Macon College B squad defeated Randolph-Macon Academy by a score of 40-39.

Brightman was high scorer for R.M.A., with 12 points; Thrift for R.M.C. with 8 points.

R. M. A.	G	FG	PF	P
Frichtman,f	4	4	1	12
Smith,f	4	1	1	9
Cooper,c	2	3	7	7
Ballard,g	0	0	0	0
Rudacille,g	2	0	4	4
Lafayette	0	0	0	0
Swenson,g	0	0	0	0
Weaver,g	3	1	7	7
Totals	15	9	39	

R. M. C.	G	FG	P
Horne,f	2	2	6
Gathwright,f	1	0	2
Thrift,c	3	2	8
Bailey,g	1	0	2
Jobe,g	1	1	3
Mulain,g	0	0	1
Thornton,g	0	1	1
Edmunds,f	2	0	4
Shiner,g	2	2	6
Watt,g	2	2	6
Totals	14	12	40

American Tops W. Maryland

American University made it three in a row over Mason-Dixon Conference rivals last night as it defeated Western Maryland, 65-49, at American U.'s gym.

It was mainly a scoring duel between the losers' Walt Sibiski who basketed 23 points and Reggie Crockett who pocketed 20 to pace the winners; Crockett played only about half the game.

The triumph gives American a record of six wins and three losses. It was the invaders' sixth straight loss.

American	G	FG	PF	P
Fugler,f	2	1	4	5
Wakefield,f	1	2	3	4
Benson,f	0	1	3	1
Lamon,f	2	0	1	4
Tanney,f	1	0	2	2
Garshak,c	1	0	0	2
Negley,c	0	0	0	0
Ishman,c	2	0	2	4
Crockett,g	9	2	0	20
Hillock,g	4	0	0	8
Morris,g	0	0	0	0
Fling,g	4	1	2	9
Griffin,g	3	0	1	6
Totals	29	7	14	65

W. Md.	G	FG	PF	P
Adamovich,f	3	1	4	7
Davis,f	3	2	0	8
Steph'son,f	2	0	1	4
Jacobson,f	1	1	0	3
Sibiski,c	6	5	2	23
Lathroum,g	1	2	1	4
Thompson,g	1	2	1	4
Totals	19	11	9	49

Score ta half-time—American, 24; W. Maryland, 14.

Missed foul tries—American, Lamon, Crockett (2), Griffin, Fling (2). W. Maryland—Stephenson (3), Sibiski.

MarylandBows To Generals By 70 to 64

Lexington, Va., Dec. 17.—A smaller but faster Washington and Lee University basketball team defeated University of Maryland, 70-64, here tonight in a see-saw Southern Conference game.

Thirteen times the lead changed hands, and at nine different times the score was even. However, W. & L. took the lead with seven minutes to go and never relinquished it.

Bobby Goldsmith chalked up 17 points to pace the Generals, who were posting their second conference victory against one defeat. In all, W. & L. has won three out of five.

Leading scorer for Maryland was Bill Brown, who netted 18 points. Alvin Lann, former McKinley Tech High of Washington, D. C., star, chipped in with 10 points to help the Terp cause.

The defeat was the first in two conference games for Maryland. The Terps were also beaten in a nonleague contest.

Maryland	G	FG	PF	P
Brown,f	7	4	2	18
Waller,f	4	1	5	9
Huppart,f	0	0	0	0
Edwards,c	4	2	1	10
Lann,g	4	2	5	10
Crescenze,g	0	0	1	0
Wanish,g	3	1	5	7
Smith,g	4	2	3	10
Totals	26	12	22	64

W. & L.	G	FG	PF	P
Pierson,f	6	0	1	13
McDowell,f	3	1	2	7
Auer,f	4	5	1	13
Compton,f	0	0	1	0
Goldsmith,c	7	3	2	17
Sahey,c	0	0	0	0
Lukens,c	0	0	0	0
Ulaki,g	2	8	2	12
Bratches,g	0	0	0	0
Ferguson,g	4	0	3	8
Gallop,g	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	16	15	70

Score at half-time—35-33, Washington and Lee.
Officials—Waskey and Lieb.

Team Performances

	ARKANSAS	WILLIAM & MARY
64—N.W. La. St.	0	21—Davidson 0
12—N. Tex. St.	0	56—Citadel 7
6—TCU	0	21—VPI 7
9—Baylor	17	7—No. Carolina 13
6—Texas	21	47—Boston U. 13
7—Mississippi	14	21—Wake Forest 0
21—Tex. A. & M.	21	28—VMI 20
0—Rice	26	45—W. & L. 6
6—SMU	14	29—Bowling Green 0
27—Tulsa	13	35—Richmond 0
170	126	301 66

'Skin Boss Says Sponsor Trying to Disrupt NFL

Chicago, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—George Marshall, owner of the Washington Redskins, brought his long-time feud with Sports Editor Arch Ward of the Chicago Tribune into the open today and demanded cancellation of the annual Tribune-sponsored college all-star games with the National Football League champions.

He attacked Ward, one of the "founders" of the rival All-America Conference, for trying to "disrupt" the National League, and said that the circuit already had voted Commissioner Bert Bell "full authority" to call off the all-star contests "if he sees fit."

Ward had a short answer to the charges. He issued a prepared statement which read:

"Mr. Marshall may run the National Football League, as he implies, but he doesn't run Chicago Tribune charities. The all-star game will be presented next August at Soldiers Field on schedule."

A spokesman for the Tribune said there was no other comment.

Bell also was reluctant to discuss the Marshall statement, but said that he had been given "authority to discuss the Tribune contract with the Tribune."

[According to the Associated Press, Commissioner Bell termed Marshall's attack "as a Marshall story."]

Marshall charged that the Tribune "violated the contract" last year by permitting Claude (Buddy) Young, an Illinois star, and George Ratterman, Notre Dame quarterback, to play. Both had college eligibility remaining and their classes had not graduated. Later they signed to play for All America Conference teams, Young with the New York Yankees and Ratterman with the Buffalo Bills.

Says Two Played Illegally

"No one can understand why Commissioner Tug Wilson of the Western Conference didn't protest taking Young out of Illinois for the All Star game," Marshall said.

"We have empowered Mr. Bell to take necessary action to protect our interest," he said. By that I mean the Tribune should make up its mind whether it wants Mr. Ward as promoter of the game, or whether it wants the National Football League as party to the contract.

"Mr. Ward made personal efforts to lure players and even officials from the National Football League to the All America Conference and we have documentary proof of it.

"It's a strange thing that a man representing the Tribune, which has a contract with the National Football League, should not only engage in founding another league, as well as promoting it, when the purpose of that other league was to disrupt the National Football League.

"The Tribune has been protected by contract with our league. We have a right to the same protection."

The National League contract with the Tribune extends for four more years, and Ward's statement indicated that the newspaper expected the NFL champion to continue in the game until the contract expires.

However, the Tribune probably would have little difficulty in obtaining the champion of the All-America Conference for the game, if the National League withdrew. Ward has been one of the strongest editorial supporters of the new circuit, and Commissioner Jonas Ingram of the All-America has sought repeatedly to force the National League to recognize his conference.

It's Clyde Scott vs. W & M Passing in Dixie Bowl

Coach Rube McCray Primes Magdziak for Leading Role

Williamsburg, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—R. N. (Rube) McCray, the drawling gentleman from the hill country of Tennessee who bosses William and Mary's Dixie Bowl Indians, thumbed through a pile of record books stacked up on his desk.

"Well, well," the Rube welled. "There it is in black and white—1945: Tennessee 45, William and Mary 13.

"Johnny Barnhill, my friend of many years coached that Tennessee team. He's the same John Barnhill who's coaching the University of Arkansas squad we're facing in the Dixie bowl New Year's afternoon.

"And I tell you we're going to have to throw that ball in order to win the game against Arkansas, and that's exactly what we plan to do."

McCray has at least four pretty fair pitchers—Stanley Magdziak, Tommy Korczowski, Joseph (Buddy) Lex and Jack Bruce—the Indians are grooming to load the air with forward passes in the Birmingham, Ala., classic.

The Rube firmly believes that when darkness falls over the Dixie Bowl after the NewYear's Day tussle with Arkansas, everybody—the Razorbacks in particular—will have been impressed with Magdziak, the general handy man of the tribe backfield.

Magdziak, a 6-foot, 1-inch senior from Passaic, N. J., threw 85 passes during the regular season, completed 37 of them for 535 yards and eight touchdowns. He converted 35 times after touchdowns, had a punting average of 39.8 yards per kick.

"I'm sure Magdziak is one of the best passers in football today," McCray said. "He's a good punter and an excellent place-kicker."

Lex, who stepped in at tailback when Korczowski was injured in an October 11 game with Virginia Tech, had an even better passing mark. He flipped 54 forwards, completed 26 for 442 yards and three touchdowns.

If he hadn't been injured, Korczowski likely would have been the brightest star of a William and Mary team that won nine games and lost only to North Carolina. Speed is "the Kid's" specialty, but he is a crack passer also.

If the passing fails, the Indians, of course, have what McCray thinks is an ace in the hole in Jack (Flying) Cloud, the Norfolk, Va., sophomore, whose plunging role at fullback carried him to a third-term All-America berth. The Cloud scored 15 touchdowns and passes occasionally, too.

"Yes, sir," McCray said. "We're going to pass those Razorbacks dizzy. We'll throw from anywhere on the field, even from our own five-yard line."

William and Mary will complete its pre-Christmas drills Friday afternoon and will disband at that time for the holiday period. The Southern Conference champions will reassemble in Birmingham the morning of December 26, for six days of last-minute work.

Contest Games

JANUARY 1

ROSE BOWL, Pasadena, Calif.—Michigan (9-0-0) vs. Southern California (7-1-1).

SUGAR BOWL, New Orleans, La.—Alabama (8-2-0) vs. Texas (9-1-0).

COTTON BOWL, Dallas, Tex.—Southern Methodist (9-0-1 vs. Penn State (9-0-0).

ORANGE BOWL, Miami, Fla.—Kansas (8-0-2) vs. Georgia Tech (9-1-0).

SUN BOWL, El Paso, Tex.—Texas Tech (6-4-0) vs. Miami (Ohio) (8-0-1).

DELTA BOWL, Memphis, Tenn.—Mississippi (8-2-0) vs. Texas Christian (4-4-2).

DIXIE BOWL, Birmingham, Ala.—William and Mary (9-1-0) vs. Arkansas (5-4-1).

GATOR BOWL, Jacksonville, Fla.—Maryland (7-2-1) vs. Georgia (7-4-0).

RAISIN BOWL, Fresno, Calif.—College of Pacific (8-1-0) vs. Wichita (7-2-0).

SALAD BOWL, Phoenix, Ariz.—North Texas (10-1-0) vs. Nevada (8-2-0).

TANGERINE BOWL, Orlando, Fla.—Catawba (10-1-0) vs. Marshall (9-2-0).

PINEAPPLE BOWL, Honolulu—Hawaii (6-3-0) vs. Redlands (6-2-0).

SHRINE GAME, San Francisco, Calif.—Eastern All-Stars vs. Western All-Stars.

HARBOR BOWL, San Diego, Calif.—San Diego State (7-2-1) vs. Hardin-Simmons (6-3-0).

VULCAN BOWL, Birmingham, Ala.—Wilberforce (10-1) vs. Grambling (10-1).

CIGAR BOWL, Tampa, Fla.—West Chester Teachers (9-0-0) vs. Missouri Valley (10-0-0).

About the Big Bowl Contest

Editor's Note: Today's stories on Arkansas and William and Mary, Dixie Bowl opponents, are the second in a series of 16 that will be published by The Washington Post in the Pick-The-Winners football contest on bowl games New Year's Day.

Stories will continue daily on the bowls until all football contest games (16 in all) have been covered.

Persons entering the football contest will find it advisable to read these stories closely in order to evaluate the rival teams. The season rcord of very bowl team also will be published.

The contest entry blank will be published the first time about December 25.

Two season tickets to all home games of the Washington Redskins next season will be awarded to the contest winner. If there is a tie for first place, all persons sharing in the tie will receive two Redskin season tickets.

Georgia Banks on 'Clumsy' Cowboy

Athens, Ga., Dec. 17.—No one wanted the clumsy tackle from a little Texas village, so Georgia took him. Now the guy, Captain Dan Edwards, will lead Georgia's Gator Bowl charge against Maryland.

The transplanted cowboy liked Georgia's red clay so he dug in his spurs his freshman year and was shifted to end and became first string He's been there ever since, and few dared to think that the hulking high school tackle would turn in a pass receiving mark in his final season that would have won the national crown in 7 of the last 10 years.

Edwards, 21 years old and weighing 195 pounds, made the Associated Press All Southeastern Conferences team and Saturday Evening Post's second All-America. Ole Glue Fingers doesn't take it much to heart, though; his record speech at postseason banquets has been 10 words. Probably one of the shortest expressions of sincere gratitude on record was his acceptance of the trophy as most valuable Georgia lineman: "Thanks."

End Coach J. V. Sikes ranks the Gatesville, Tex., senior as one of the best downfield blockers in the Nation. Edwards' sterling talent is carrying the ball after he catches it. He topped collegiate snaggers in distance with 540 yards on the 38 catches or an average of about 14 yards per connection.

Santa Proves He Knows His Sports

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 17 (AP).—Santa Claus read the sport news over Radio Station KGEM last night.

After completing a program in which he read children's letters over the air St. Nick found himself locked in the studio and Sportscaster Walter Lowe locked out.

So Santa pitched in and kept the show going—with sport news.

L. A. Dons Sign W. Va. Halfback

Buckhannon, W. Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Bill Pugh, West Virginia Wesleyan halfback from Gauley Bridge, W. Va., has signed a two-year contract with the Los Angeles Dons of the All-America Conference, the college athletic department announced today.

Pugh was the leading ground gainer in the West Virginia Intercollegiate Conference last season, piling up a total of 665 yards. He averaged 6 yards per try.

Arkansas Has Three Backs Who Sprint 100 in 10 Flat

Fayette, Ark., Dec. 17.—On paper, it looks as if Arkansas University might be pretty easy for William and Mary in the first Dixie bowl game in Birmingham New Year's Day.

Just look at the comparative records during the 1947 regular season: William and Mary, 9-1-0; Arkansas 5-4-1.

But down here in the Ozark Mountain country, they say you can forget all about Arkansas' 5-4-1 record when the Porkers tackle the Virginians New Year's Day—that Arkansas has a much stronger team than its record indicates.

Principal reason for this confidence is the manner in which the Porkers finished the 1947 season after losing early-season games.

In late-season-games, Arkansas defeated Ole Miss, Texas Christian and Tulsa, three top-notch teams, and held the crack Southern Methodist eleven to a 14-6 score.

Coach John Barnhill will present a team without injuries, except in the case of Alvin Duke, blocking back, who was injured late in the season. Duke will not participate in the Dixie game but all other players will.

The Porkers run from the single wing and rely a great deal on Clyde (Smackover) Scott, Aubrey Fowler, Billy Bass, Joyce Pipkin, Leon Campbell, Kenny Holland and Ross Pritchard, all exceptionally fast men.

Scott, Fowler and Pritchard run the 100-yard dash in 10 flat or less.

Arkansas met LSU in the Cotton Bowl last January and they fought to a scoreless deadlock. Dallas was visited by a snow and ice storm that day.

Scott was top man in the Southwest this year on yards gained from scrimmage by per-try average over Doak Walker, brilliant SMU back.

Scott carried the ball 136 times for a gain of 726 yards, while Walker lugged the pigskin 164 times for a total of 785 yards.

Scott formerly played with Navy before enrolling at Arkansas in 1946. He is well known in the East not only as a football star but as holder of records in the high and low hurdles against Army and other eastern schools.

Scott attended Bullis Prep in Washington (D. C.), and was voted one of the outstanding scholastic players in the District.

At the Naval Academy in 1945 Scott was selected on the second All-American. He was awarded all-southwest conference honors in both 1946-47.

Barnhill, former Tennessee Vol coach, rates Scott as the finest running back he has coached in 16 years of college football.

As Scott goes, Arkansas unquestionably will go against the offensive-minded William and Mary Club, which scored 301 points to the opposition's 66 during the regular season. Arkansas scored 170 to the opposition's 126.

Mandel Meets Syndicate Head

Detroit, Dec. 17 (AP).—Owner Fred Mandel, who is listening to offers for his last-place Detroit Lions of the National Football League, met today with D. Lyle Fife, spokesman for a Detroit businessmen's group interested in buying the Lion franchise, reputedly priced at $300,000.

The meeting followed by less than 24 hours Mandel's announcement that Coach Charles E. (Gus) Dorais would not head the Lions next year.

The coach's contract, which has four years to run, can be terminated only by sale of the club. In such instance Dorais gets six months' notice.

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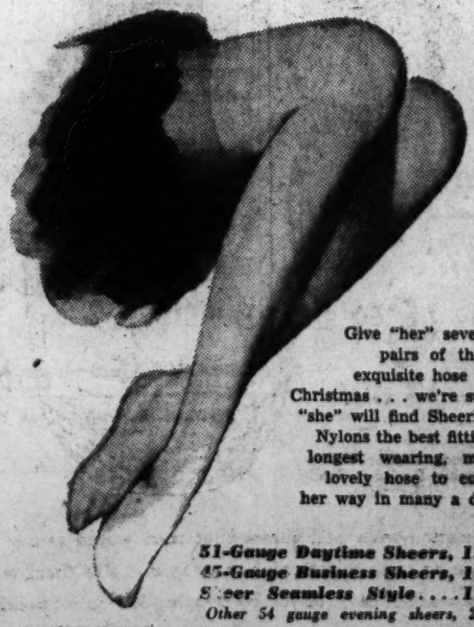

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'Skins 4th, But . . .

Specialists Baugh, Saenz Lead League

By Bill Burnett
Post Reporter

In spite of their fourth-place finish in the East, the Washington Redskins wound up the 1947 season with four individual champions, according to final National Football League statistics released yesterday.

Slingin' Sammy Baugh and Wingin' Eddie Saenz beat out all league contenders in their favorite departments, passing and returning kickoffs. Dick Poillon, the Tribe's placement expert, and scrambling Bob Nussbaumer were champions of the Eastern division in scoring and pass catching.

Baugh, as everyone expected, went record happy as he won the aerial title from Chicago's Sid Luckman. One of the tall Texan's best seasons since joining the 'Skins 11 years ago saw a total of 354 attempts, 210 completions for 2938 yards and 25 touchdowns. His 59.3 average was 5 points better than Luckman and third high of his career. In 1940 he had 62.7 and in 1945 he soared to 70.3.

Poillon Wins by Point

Saenz also was well ahead of his nearest Eastern rival, Boston's Frank Seno, as well as the Western champ, Bill Dudley. He returned 29 kick-offs for 796 yards, an average of 27.4 a try. Dudley had a 23.9 average in 15 tries, scoring no touchdowns to Saenz's two.

Thirty-seven extra points, six touchdowns and four field goals gave Poillon 85 points and the Eastern scoring crown by one point over Philadelphia's Steve Van Buren. Tops in the league, however, was the Chicago Cardinals' Pat Harder with a grand total of 102 points.

Tight aerial defense of the opposition held Nussbaumer to 497 yards on his 47 pass receptions, including four touchdowns. His 47 catches were second only to the league champion, the Bears' Jim Keane, who rolled up 910 yards gathering in 64 tosses. Keane scoring 10 touchdowns, had to take a back seat in yardage to the Cardinals' Kutner with 944 yards on 43 catches.

In the rushing department Van Buren, third best ground gainer in 1946, won the league championship with a record 1008 yards, four more than the mark set in 1934. Trailing Van Buren in the east were Johnny Clement and Jim Castiglia, while in the west Tony Canadeo and Kenny Washington finished one-two.

28-Year Record Broken

Titles in other departments, east and west, went to Reagan and Forte for pass interceptions; Reagan and Jacobs for punting and Slater and Harmon for punt returns.

The Chicago Bears featured team statistics with the first offensive record of more than 5000 yards in the 28-year history of the league. Washington, however, was only 373 yards behind the Bears' 5052 total and the Cardinals also broke a 1941 record with 4351 yards.

Washington, paced by Baugh, was one of four teams to break the old standard of 2407 for yards passing. The Bears, Cards and Detroit also turned the trick.

Though they scored more points than anybody else the Bears had to settle for second place in the west. A total of 363 points went to the Luckman-led Chicagoans. The Redskins' took the reverse crown, proving the most free-handed outfit of all by allowing its foes all of 367 points.

Mize, Elliott Other Top Infielders

New York, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—Cocky Eddie Stanky of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who may be ousted from second base in favor of Jackie Robinson in 1948, established a new National League fielding record at the keystone sack with a slick .9853 percentage in 1947, official fielding averages disclosed today.

Stanky's figure erased the previous mark of 9851, turned in by Second Baseman Lonnie Frey of Cincinnati in 1943. The sawed-off Dodger second-sacker made only 12 errors in 820 chances, while Frey, in the year he set the record, bobbled 13 times in 873 chances.

Tops among the first basemen in fielding was beet-faced Johnny Mize of the Giants with a .996 percentage. The husky, home-run belter handled 1503 chances, making only 6 miscues.

Elliott Best at Third

Bob Elliott of the Braves, the National League's most valuable player, paced the third basemen in the field with a .956 percentage. The Boston hot corner guardian erred 20 times while accepting 451 chances to edge George (Whitey Kurowski of the Cardinals by 2 points.

Marty (Slats) Marion, St. Louis' defensive standout, ranked No. 1 among the shortstops with .981, accepting 796 chances and being guilty of only 15 errors. Runnerup to the lanky Redbird ace was Johnny (Buddy) Kerr of the Giants with .977.

Kerr, by playing the first 16 games of the season without an error, increased his own major league record of consecutive errorless games by a shortstop to 68. His streak ran from July 28, 1946 through May 24, 1947. He also extended his major league mark for consecutive chances handled by a shortstop without an error to 383.

Middies Beat C. U., 59-34

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—A smooth-working Navy basketball team smothered an outclassed Catholic University quintet here today, 59-34.

Coach Ben Carnevale used all of his 19 Middie basketball players in the contest and it was only when the second and third Navy teams were in action that the Cardinals were able to do much scoring.

It was 36-16 at half-time and the Navy quintet coasted through the final two periods.

Harry Woods, Navy guard, was high scorer of the afternoon with seven field goals and three foul conversions for a total of 17 points.

Gene Szklarz, Catholic guard, was high for the visitors with 13 points.

Catholic U.	G	FG	FP	P
Cranston,f.	3	1	3	7
Szklarz,f.	5	3	1	13
Lambert,f.	0	0	2	0
Brennan,f.	0	0	0	0
L'backer,c.	2	0	5	4
Conner,c.	3	0	2	6
Dudley,g.	0	0	0	0
Walsh,g.	1	2	5	4
McGrane,g	0	1	0	1
Morris,g	0	1	0	1
Corrado,g.	0	0	1	0
V'nauskas,g	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	8	19	34

Navy	G	FG	FP	P
Robbins,f.	3	1	1	7
Searle,f.	5	2	0	12
R'berger,f.	2	0	0	4
Jenike,f.	0	1	0	1
Stinson,f.	0	1	0	1
Andresen,f.	1	0	2	2
Moberly,f.	0	0	0	0
Barrow,c.	3	2	3	8
Quinn,c.	0	0	0	0
Claitor,c.	0	1	2	1
Clinite,c.	0	0	0	0
Woods,g.	7	3	5	17
Sheehan,g.	1	1	2	3
Eliopolis,g.	1	0	2	2
Olson,g.	0	1	1	1
Donovan,g.	0	0	1	0
Burton,g.	0	0	0	0
Paul,g.	0	0	0	0
Ryan,g.	0	0	1	0
Totals	23	13	19	59

Halftime score—Navy, 36; Catholic, 16. Free throws missed—Cranston, Szklarz (3), Lambert, Laubacker (3), Connor, Walsh, Morris, Corrado, Robbins (2), Searle (2), Jenike (2), Claitor, Clinite, Olson.

Yes, Skis Would Help

Davos, Switzerland, Dec. 17 (AP).—Because their skis, were delayed in transit the United States team for the Winter Olympics will not start training until tomorrow.

National League Fielding

1947 CLUB FIELDING

Club.	G.	D.P.	P.B.	P.O.	A.	E.	T.C.	P.C.
St. Louis	156	169	13	4193	1741	128	6062	.979
Brooklyn	155	169	11	4127	1688	139	5944	.977
Cincinnati	154	134	6	4096	1646	138	5879	.977
Chicago	155	139	10	4103	1859	129	6111	.979
Pittsburgh	156	131	18	4119	1626	149	5894	.973
New York	155	136	6	4085	1773	135	6016	.974
Boston	154	124	7	4057	1726	153	5936	.974
Philadelphia	155	140	27	4095	1718	152	5965	.974
Totals		1163	93	32899	13775	1154	47828	.976

Triple plays—Chicago, 2; Pittsburgh, 1; St. Louis, 1.

1947 INDIVIDUAL FIELDING
FIRST BASEMEN

Player and Club	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC
Mize, New York	154	1380	117	6	1503	130	.996
McCormick, 12 Phila.-46 Boston	58	514	30	3	547	40	.995
Lehman, Philadelphia	29	206	12	1	220	15	.995
Musial, St. Louis	140	1300	77	8	1445	138	.994
Walkus, Chicago	136	1161	101	8	1270	109	.994
Schultz, 1 Brooklyn-114 Philadelphia	115	987	97	7	1061	92	.993
Greenberg, Pittsburgh	119	983	79	9	1071	85	.992
Young, Cincinnati	93	795	96	8	794	66	.990
Zilen, Philadelphia	11	94	10	1	105	4	.990
Robinson, Brooklyn	151	1323	92	16	1431	144	.989
Cavarretta, Chicago	34	317	13	3	333	23	.987
Fletcher, Pittsburgh	30	334	22	5	361	23	.986
Haas, Cincinnati	53	510	23	8	541	49	.985
Torgeson, Boston	117	1033	76	18	1127	83	.984
Baker, St. Louis	10	76	6	2	84	3	.976

Triple plays—Walkus, Greenberg, Musial.

SECOND BASEMEN

Miksis, Brooklyn	13	23	34	0	47	4	1.000
Herman, Pittsburgh	10	14	19	0	27	2	1.000
Pafko, Chicago	30	60	72	1	133	18	.992
Stanky, Brooklyn	146	402	406	12	820	123	.985
Witek, New York	40	102	125	4	231	27	.983
Verban, Philadelphia	136	450	453	17	920	111	.982
Woodworth, Pittsburgh	87	222	206	9	437	56	.979
Schoendienst, St. Louis	142	357	404	19	880	109	.976
Zientara, Cincinnati	100	243	247	12	502	83	.976
Ripley, New York	72	184	229	11	424	41	.974
Ryan, Boston	150	393	422	23	838	88	.973
Basinki, Pittsburgh	56	116	130	7	253	34	.972
Johnson, Chicago	108	255	291	17	563	65	.970
Metz, Chicago	21	88	78	3	141	15	.965
Adams, Cincinnati	69	172	177	12	361	46	.954
Blattner, New York	34	79	100	10	189	14	.947
Wieselmann, Pittsburgh	14	30	34	3	67	8	.947
Jones, St. Louis	13	32	40	5	77	5	.935

THIRD BASEMEN

Vaughan, Brooklyn	10	7	20	0	27	3	1.000
Zientara, Cincinnati	13	5	11	0	16	0	1.000
Handley, Philadelphia	93	87	144	6	237	8	.975
Wahl, Cincinnati	30	24	30	3	56	2	.964
Rack, Chicago	66	64	136	8	208	11	.962
Elliott, Boston	148	139	302	20	461	25	.956
Kurowski, St. Louis	151	140	290	19	449	17	.954
Jorgensen, Brooklyn	128	116	235	19	360	26	.949
Cross, St. Louis	15	5	13	1	19	1	.947
Gustine, Pittsburgh	156	198	330	31	559	35	.945
Lowrey, Chicago	91	82	194	16	292	21	.945
Halton, Cincinnati	136	143	248	26	417	18	.938
Lohrke, New York	111	118	187	20	325	20	.938
Blattner, New York	11	7	6	0	13	1	.923
Rigney, New York	41	47	76	9	132	7	.932
Tabor, Philadelphia	61	68	96	15	179	3	.909
Jones, Philadelphia	17	19	41	6	66	3	.909

Triple play—Lowrey.

SHORTSTOPS

Marion, St. Louis	141	329	452	15	796	104	.981
Kerr, New York	138	270	466	17	747	77	.977
Sturgeon, Chicago	43	75	116	5	200	24	.975
Miller, Cincinnati	151	295	445	21	761	88	.972
Rojek, Brooklyn	27	23	44	2	69	10	.971
Castiglione, Pittsburgh	13	26	39	2	67	6	.970
Newsome, Philadelphia	85	131	247	12	390	60	.969
Cox, Pittsburgh	139	230	388	20	638	63	.968
Culler, Boston	77	106	213	11	329	31	.967
Reese, Brooklyn	143	266	441	25	732	99	.966
Lapointe, Philadelphia	54	82	158	11	251	25	.956
Merullo, Chicago	110	219	332	19	570	77	.949
Sisti, Boston	51	93	121	12	226	24	.947
Rigney, New York	34	33	83	5	91	8	.945
Albright, Philadelphia	33	48	85	8	141	15	.943
Fernandez, Boston	131	89	149	17	255	22	.933
Jurges, Chicago	14	13	36	4	53	10	.925
Cross, St. Louis	14	15	30	4	49	9	.918
Wieselmann, Pittsburgh	33	31	38	9	78	6	.885
Creger, St. Louis	23	6	18	5	29	3	.828

Triple plays—Marion, Sturgeon, Cox, Merullo.

OUTFIELDERS

	G.	P.O.	A.	E.	T.C.	D.P.	Pct.
Tatum, 4 Brooklyn, 69 Cincinnati	52	119	6	0	125	3	1000
Lukon, Cincinnati	53	103	4	0	107	2	1000
Medwick, St. Louis	43	56	3	0	59	2	1000
Diering, St. Louis	75	55	3	0	58	1	1000
Dallessandro, Chicago	28	50	1	0	51	1	1000
Vaughan, Brooklyn	22	49	0	0	49	0	1000
Mikels, Brooklyn	11	25	0	0	25	0	1000
Nicholson, Chicago	140	281	7	3	291	1	.990
Holmes, Boston	147	336	12	4	352	4	.989
Galan, Cincinnati	118	246	2	3	251	0	.988
Westlake, Pittsburgh	118	239	8	3	250	0	.988
Reiser, Brooklyn	108	240	3	3	246	0	.988
Pafko, Chicago	127	327	9	5	341	3	.985
Vollmer, Cincinnati	66	125	2	2	129	0	.984
Kiner, Pittsburgh	123	290	8	7	305	1	.976
Moore, St. Louis	120	292	6	8	303	2	.983
Slaughter, St. Louis	142	306	15	6	327	5	.982
Hermanski, Brooklyn	66	105	5	2	112	0	.982
Rickert, Chicago	30	52	2	1	55	0	.982
McCormick, Boston	79	153	4	3	162	0	.981
Lowrey, Chicago	25	50	2	1	53	0	.981
Russell, Pittsburgh	110	343	6	7	356	3	.980
Thomson, New York	127	330	12	7	349	2	.980
Hopp, Boston	125	296	2	6	304	0	.980
Snider, Brooklyn	25	48	0	1	49	0	.980
Ennis, Philadelphia	135	320	12	7	339	2	.979
Rikard, Pittsburgh	93	277	2	4	283	0	.978
Baumholtz, Cincinnati	130	282	18	7	307	2	.977
Furillo, Brooklyn	121	267	9	7	303	3	.977
Cavarretta, Chicago	106	203	11	5	219	3	.977
Litwhiler, Boston	66	115	2	3	124	0	.976
Lafata, New York	19	34	3	1	38	0	.974
Marshall, New York	155	334	19	10	363	6	.972
Wyrostek, Philadelphia	126	261	11	2	280	2	.971
Gordon, New York	124	234	13	8	274	0	.971
Dusak, St. Louis	89	178	13	6	197	2	.970

CATCHERS

	G.	P.O.	A.	E.	T.C.	D.P.	P.B.	Pct.
Bragan, Brooklyn	21	56	5	0	61	1	0	1000
Sullivan, Pittsburgh	12	43	4	0	46	1	1	1000
Masi, Boston	123	411	58	5	474	1	3	.989
Klutz, Pittsburgh	69	247	55	4	306	7	4	.967
Lamanno, Cincinnati	109	356	63	9	427	6	3	.986
Scheffing, Chicago	97	379	53	7	438	4	9	.984
McCullough, Chicago	64	280	35	5	320	3	1	.984
Mueller, Cincinnati	55	221	28	4	253	3	3	.984
Edwards, Brooklyn	128	502	98	11	611	11	11	.983
Wilber, St. Louis	94	108	10	2	120	3	4	.983
Rice, St. Louis	94	380	33	8	421	7	7	.981
Lombardi, New York	24	86	11	2	99	2	1	.980
Cooper, New York	132	560	81	13	654	8	5	.979
Semnick, Philadelphia	107	438	53	11	502	6	17	.978
Cannelli, Boston	51	194	30	5	219	3	4	.977
Howell, Pittsburgh	74	273	30	8	310	2	12	.974
Garagiola, St. Louis	74	281	23	4	308	2	2	.974
Salkeld, Pittsburgh	15	29	4	1	34	0	1	.971

Triple play—Rice.

The Redskins' '47 Performance

SCORING

Player	T.D.	E.P.	F.G.	Totals
Poillon	6	37	4	85
Taylor	6	0	0	36
Saenz	6	0	0	36
Nussbaumer	4	0	0	24
Castiglia	5	0	0	30
Duckworth	3	0	0	18
Baugh	2	0	0	12
McKee	2	0	0	12
Rosato	1	0	0	6
Farmer	1	0	0	6
Wilde	1	0	0	6
Youel	1	0	0	6
Lookabaugh	1	0	0	6
Turley	1	0	0	6
Terwilliger	1	0	0	6

RUSHING

Player	Attempts	Yardage	L'est Gain
Castiglia	104	436	33
Rosato	74	297	30
Nussbaumer	43	150	47
Saenz	51	143	18
Jenkins	16	54	9
Youel	10	44	19
Todd	10	45	12
Baugh	25	47	19
Farmer	15	37	7
Taylor	1	7	7
Wilde	4	—3	0
Mont	1	1	7

PASS RECEIVING

Player	Catches	Yardage	L'est Gain	Tds.
Nussbaumer	47	397	55	4
Saenz	34	302	74	4
Taylor	26	311	82	6
McKee	16	242	28	2
Duckworth	14	250	95	3
Poillon	29	259	30	4
Castiglia	11	98	25	0
Terwilliger	10	76	20	1
Farmer	8	137	31	0
Rosato	7	107	26	1
Lookabaugh	6	78	31	0
Wilde	6	45	18	0
Jenkins	5	96	37	0
Puccio	4	42	15	0
Turley	4	99	34	1
Todd	4	34	38	0
Feebles	4	36	11	0
Mont	2	14	7	0

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	Intercepted	Yd. Ret.	Longest
Farmer	6	27	32
Todd	4	59	50
Demao	3	35	21
Poillon	2	38	16
Aldrich	2	7	7
Jenkins	1	7	7
Nussbaumer	1	0	0
Mont	1	7	7
Stenech	1	0	0

PUNTING

Player	No.	Yd.	Longest	Average
Baugh	35	1528	67 vs. Eagles	43.66
Poillon	15	533	49 vs. Cards	36.2
Youel	2	35	35 vs. Packers	17.50

PUNT RETURNS

Player	Number	Yardage	Longest
Saenz	24	308	30
Todd	4	48	19
Poillon	3	37	24
Nussbaumer	3	13	13
Mont	3	37	19

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	Number	Yardage	Longest	Average
Saenz	29	792	94	27.31
Todd	9	166	48	20.75
Nussbaumer	8	154	25	19.25
Farmer	4	118	36	29.50
Poillon	2	17	12	8.6
Avery	1	24	17	12.0
Jones	1	30	30	30.0
Williamson	1	28	28	28.0
Rosato	1	20	20	20.0
Wilde	1	19	19	19.0
Feebles	1	13	13	13.0
Castiglia	1	10	10	10.00
Turley	1	10	10	10.00
Ruthstrom	1	5	5	5.00
Stober	1	0	0	0.00

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They All Want Jack

Tough to Get Into College? Not for Star Athlete George

By Herb Heft
Post Reporter

JACK GEORGE, 18-year-old quarterback of St. John's undefeated and untied football team, still has six months to go before his graduation in June, but he has already become one of the most sought after high school athletes ever to perform in Washington.

Alumni of 14 preminent colleges either have approached

Jack George

College feelers began to seep in after the 1947 basketball season when he led St. John's to the runner-up position in the All-Metropolitan Tournament. With his better than 17 points per game average, Jack was named on The Washington Post's All-Metropolitan team.

Bob Feerick, former Santa Clara player, and Bones McKinney, formerly of North Carolina, and now both standouts for the Caps, saw Jack play. They asked him to consider attending their respective schools. Also interested in George's basketball wares were Holy Cross and Clemson.

However, it was when Jack showed what he could do with a football that the college bids really began to pour in. His 18 touchdown passes led the District's schoolboy tossers, and he had a better than .600 percentage in completions. He ran and punted well, and even handled his team's placekicking assignments. The Washington Post picked Jack on its All-Metro football team.

Since the season closed, George Washington, Maryland and Georgetown, of the local schools have expressed their desire to see Jack go to college near home.

Among nationally known football powers reportedly interested, are Tennessee, St. Mary's of California, Notre Dame, Virginia, Fordham, Georgia and Georgia Tech.

JACK IS HAPPY and a little confused over the whole situation. "It's nice to know that so many colleges want me, but it is difficult to decide which one I want. Right now, I'd prefer to go out of town. The Washington colleges have had a tendency to ignore the local high school boys, some of whom have been good."

Jack shouldn't have to much trouble getting along in his studies, no matter which college he picks. His high school average, always over 80 per cent, has been well above 85 this year.

The colleges haven't been alone in bargaining for George. Two major league baseball teams, the Cubs and Red Sox, last year, spoke to the then St. John's coach, Gene Augusterfer, about signing George to a contract when he was graduated.

A right-hander all the way, Jack plays the outfield and third base equally well and has a strong throwing arm. His batting average for St. John's last season was .367.

House of Commons Hears Protest of Louis' $$ Payment

London, Dec. 17 (AP).—A Labor member of Commons, Cecil Poole, will protest in the House of Commons Friday against Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis being paid in Britain's scarce dollars for his exhibitions here next year.

Poole announced he will ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Stafford Cripps, "if he is aware that Joe Louis is to receive $80,000 plus expenses payable in dollars."

Further, Poole will inquire whether the chancellor "will, in view of our dollar situation, take steps to prevent any such payment and insist that if this artist wishes to earn money here he shall be paid in the currency of this country."

The champion is scheduled to appear in a "health and holiday" exhibit starting February 27.

New York reports said Louis would apply for his visa as an "artist" since theatrical performers are allowed to take their full earnings out of England in the currencies of their own countries, provided they stay no longer than 185 days.

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Hoya Frosh Down Eastern

The Georgetown University freshman basketball team easily defeated Eastern High, 52-26, yesterday at the Eastern gym.

Al Schulte led the Hoya pointmakers with 14. The loss was the second in four games for Eastern.

Eastern	G	FG	FP	P
Wharam,f.	2	0	2	4
J.Brown,f.	0	0	2	0
Scott,f.	0	0	1	0
Cribbins,f.	1	0	0	2
Merelman,f	0	0	0	0
Wesley,f.	2	3	0	7
Walker,f.	0	0	0	0
W.Brown,c	0	0	3	0
Graves,c.	0	0	1	0
Spillan,c.	0	0	0	0
Barouth,g.	0	1	0	1
DeGiorgi,g	0	0	4	0
Lamon,g.	0	0	1	0
Kallas,g.	1	1	1	3
Utley,g.	1	3	3	5
Totals	9	8	18	26

Geo. Frosh	G	FG	FP	P
Lutz,f.	1	0	3	2
Bananty,f.	2	0	0	4
Hardiman,f	0	1	0	1
M'riotta,f.	1	0	3	2
Cantrell,f.	3	0	3	6
F's'mons,f.	0	0	1	0
Supple,c.	3	0	0	6
Schulte,c.	6	2	0	14
Gibbins,c.	1	0	1	2
Shields,g.	4	3	0	11
Perry,g.	0	0	1	0
Kelly,g.	2	0	0	4
Gaglione,g	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	6	12	52

Score at halftime, 34-13. Georgetown Frosh. Referees—Fox and Roberts.

Anacostia Bows

Stuyvesant School of Warrenton (Va.) upset the Anacostia quint, 52-47, yesterday at the losers' court. Guard Johnny Copp sparked the winners' attack with 29 points.

High scorer for Anacostia was Wally Warner whose 17 points boosted his three-game total to 58. It was the third win in five games for Stuyvesant and the second straight defeat for Anacostia.

Stuyvesant	G	FG	FP	P
Quinn,f.	1	1	1	3
Swensen,f.	7	0	0	14
Bywaters,f	0	1	2	1
Alger,f.	0	0	1	0
Burklin,c.	2	1	3	5
Copp,g.	13	3	2	29
Patton,g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	6	9	52

Anacostia	G	FG	FP	P
Koontz,f.	0	1	5	1
Midgol,f.	3	0	2	6
Lear,f.	6	1	2	13
Mitchell,f.	0	0	3	0
Warner,c.	8	1	1	17
Schwiger,c.	3	1	2	7
Pheasant,g	1	0	0	3
Lovitt,g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	5	13	47

Score at halftime—Stuyvesant, 28-16.

Chamberlain Wins

Johnny Koustenis and A... Karadimos scored 11 points a... yesterday to lead Chamberlain... cational High to a 64-31 vi... over Bell at the Chamberlain g...

The win was the second s... for Chamberlain, which do... its opener. Bell has lost t... straight.

Ch'berlain.	G	FG	FP	P
Baroutas,f.	4	1	1	9
K'adimos,f	5	1	1	11
Dobbins,f.	3	1	2	7
Lewis,c.	3	1	2	7
Long,c.	2	0	2	4
Jordan,g.	4	2	2	10
Koustenis,g	4	3	3	11
H'phries,g	0	3	1	3
Kelley,g.	0	0	4	0
B'anahan,g	1	0	1	2
Totals	26	12	19	64

Bell.	G	FG	F
Spicer,f.	3	0	
McGowan,f.	0	0	
Hogan,f.	2	2	
Fellin,f.	0	0	0
Mulvey,c.	3	2	
Shiflett,c.	1	1	
Pappas,g.	1	1	
Mellto,g.	0	0	0
Cornille,g.	1	1	
Goto,g.	1	0	
Totals	12	7	

Score at half-time—Chamberlain, 35; ...
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DEAR FOLKS:

The final Thursday program here is topped by the James Sager Purse, annual feature named for the popular Washington sportsman. A limit field of eight is assured for the test of 6 furlongs, plus 120 feet. Maryland racing was represented today by Maj. Goss L. Stryker, former Laurel president, and George Martin, resident general manager of the same plant. Jockey Danny Scocca is going to ride this winter at Sunshine Park. He has a high percentage of winners on his few mounts this year and deserves a chance. Johnny Bringhurst, who resides a few yards from the track, is the leading trainer here with five winners. His father-in-law is C. M. Feltner, trainer for Joe Tucci and others on the milers. Tom Callahan has purchased Light Landing and the gelding will be among 18 horses in a shipment next week to Cuba. Henry Clark, trainer of the Christiana Stable horses, was a visitor. F. Y. Whitley, jr., has been named trainer for the horses of Wayne Kendrick of Washington, D. C. The string will campaign in Florida. George Cardoza and Jimmy Baird are in a head and head battle for the jockey honors here. See you on the rail.

BILL.

1—Ann's Laddie, Blind Buyer, Famas Time.

2—Chiff Chaff, Eleanor Powell, Wintime.

3—Salgin, Gay Pilate, Tatting.

4—Chance Oak, Lady Romery, Curfew Girl.

5—Bit of Nrve, Grey-Del, Kai Lee.

6—Falsely, Woofie, Miss Prime.

7—Beau Wynn, Our Birthday, Winged Heels.

8—Fluster, Kohinoor, Mr. Jimmie.

Best bet—FALSELY.

Gulfstream

1—3/4; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Tica Tica	103	North Storm	114
Westfield	111	Twink Shot	106
Liquidator	111	Mel Indian	118
Bracket	103	Tiger Express	111
Lantern	106	Old Mexico	115
Gallant Hour	114	Cork	108
Ice Lady	108	Belle Coles	103
No Leddie	112	Cee Tee Tee	111

2—3/4; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Albatross	111	Tarawa	110
Little Bunny	108	Free Citizen	111
Offenbach	118	Princess Nell	112
Lord Jim	115	Charles Bryce	111
Valdina Clown	120	Mr. Chap	118
Brace Play	107	Uncle Byron	123
Blue Gray	110	Sergeant	111
Pilgrim Maid	103	Time Eternal	107

3—7/8; $2600; maiden 3-year-olds.

Vera Michela	112	Reno Upstage	117
Sweet Sweet	117	Bully	120
Bulmont	115	Liberty Gold	117
Margsplay	120	River Pilot	114
Pat's Anne	117		

4—7/8; $2500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Ned Canron	117	Valdina Math	109
Star Call	104	Bourbon	115
Azure Wings	106	Tabouret	104
Broadloom	114	After Eight	117
Monitor	117	Burning Twig	109
Hyperhello	109	Reno Upstart	112
Shush	114	Shockoe	107
Sir Spic	117	Grian	112

5—3/4; $2700; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Farmington	102	Miss Education	105
Head Show	116	Scholarlie	114
Samba Step	114	Last Bill	115
Try Again	114	Fresh Breeze	112
Mayes Riley	117	Peanut's Girl	110
Attic	111	Storm King	117
Dubbieli	102	Rosinante	110
Hypostyle	112	Spring Folly	111

6—3/4; $3500; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

†Mr. McOregor	105	Arilou	118
†Quibu	112	El Mono	116
‡Colonal	110	Stagebop	112
Hot and High	111	†Sandy Pam	109
Music	115		

†Mariet Stable entry.
‡F. W. Hooper entry.

7—1 1/8; $3500; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Adelphia	114	Jarvis Bay	114
My Angela	114	Jacopoly	112
Jingle Jangle	119	Flying Fort	114
Dixie Sweep	112	Attendant	122
Sweep Swinger	112		

8—1 1/4; $2400; 3-year-olds up; f. and m.

Quiet Shot	106	Cindy Lou	109
Perfect Melody	114	Comic Ann	104
Jamoke	112	Peg	100
Stell	109	Zestful	113
Queen's Chance	111	Credenda	109
Brown Ruin	111	Astound	107

1—7/8; $2500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.
Cordon, 105 (Cook) 24.30 9.10 3.40
Bien Fal, 114 (Knapp) 4.00 2.30
Pene, 109 (Hansman) 2.30
War Ripple, Whimsical Lady, Last Stride, Mattie Brown, Marine Victory also ran. Time, 1:25 4/5.

2—7/8; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.
Fast Freight, 117 (Gifford) 18.10 5.80 3.80
Hearth Mouse, 122 (Watson) 3.90 2.40
†Headline, 105 (Featherston) 2.20
†Opening Day, 117 (Richard) 2.80
Air Power, Nick Kenny, Robert F., Miss Sceptre also ran. Time, 1:26.
†Dead heat for third position.

3—3/4; $2500; 3-year-olds; claiming.
Fanaan, 111 (Rogers) 7.00 3.90 2.90
Funxsy, 106 (Knapp) 4.90 4.10
Gee Tee Cee, 106 (Featherston) 4.90
Louisiana Dawn, Ulysses, Carol Bee, College Girl, Blue Inseo, Gay Revelry, Emilie Straus, Mary Ann, Skipper Hay also ran. Time, 1:13.

4—7/8; $2700; 3-year-olds up; claiming.
Old Iron, 119 (Pannell) 21.20 9.90 4.90
Mon's Boy, 114 (Weingart) 5.20 4.60
St. Jock, 119 (Woodhouse) 3.00
Victim, Tedious Miss, Semper Avanti, Right Happy, Silver Plate, Top Dollar, Top Notch, Dauntless Gal also ran.

5—3/4; $3500; 3-year-olds; allowances.
Gray Warrior, 128 (Stout) 7.70 3.80 2.80
Preoccupy, 118 (Jemas) 4.90 3.30
River Scotch, 104 (Turner) 3.40
Gracie Son, Yankee Hill, Wise Fris, Master, Gold Bull also ran. Time, 1:12.

6—1 1/8; $3500; 2-year-olds; allowances.
Athlete, 128 (Woodhouse) 3.00 2.30 2.10
Noble Hero, 112 (Hansman) 4.80 3.50
King Midas, 115 (Breen) 2.80
Mr. Manners, Dust Screen, Glory's Chance, Wee Clootie, Marial also ran. Time, 1:45 4/5.

7—1 1/8; $2400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.
St. Lo, 110 (F. A. Smith) 35.90 17.20 10.50
Isedilio, 112 (Reynolds) 12.10 7.80
Snappy Package, 112 (Caffarella) 4.40
Flight Nurse, Miami Rose, Macjames, Mr. Dodo, Big Hope, Opening Bid also ran. Time, 1:53.

8—1 1/4; $2400; claiming; 3-year-olds up.
Anako, 114 (Martin) 11.00 5.30 3.30
Master Jack, 119 (Dodson) 5.30 3.00
Drelion, 113 (Turner) 2.80
Special Pet, Sutton Place, Game O' Chance, Caliper, Alport also ran. Time, 1:53.

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AT GULFSTREAM

1—Gallant Hour, Old Mexico, Mel Indian.
2—TARAWA, Mr. Chap, Offenbach.
3—Bully, Reno Upstage, Margsplay.
4—After Eight, Monitor, Burning Twig.
5—Hypostyle, Attic, Farmington.
6—Colonal, El Mono, Arilou.
7—Jingle Jangle, Jarvis Bay, Attendant.
8—Perfect Melody, Zestful, Credenda.

AT FAIR GROUNDS

1—Lady Rheanelle, First Degree, Ala Bud.
2—Good Hunting, Valdina Seer, Break Thru.
3—Biltrite, Busy Dream, Gilded Bird.
4—Merry Mary, Frank's Pal, Junior Wolf.
5—Merriment, Miss Marvin, Isaac Dorsett.
6—Lost and Found, Four Tens, Hasien Jason.
7—MONTREE, Gala Frau, Mac Pilu.
8—War Train, Darby Dismay, Sangabi.

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Ann's Laddie, One Flag, Irish Leader.
2—Vantryst, My Exit, Stormy Bill.
3—Gay Pilate, Salgin, Topsy.
4—Chance Oak, Duke Tower, Lady Romery.
5—Bit of Nerve, Gallantry, Halogi.
6—Falsely, Oyster K, Miss Greek.
7—Gallant Doc, Lovenia, Our Birthday.
8—KOHINOOR, Pharaquest, Pontchartrain.

Out Fishing . . .

By Jack Bell

POSTWAR miracles in new and better fishing tackle, promised by American tackle manufacturers, have been slow in materializing. However, a method new to American anglers, but old to Europenas has taken firm root during the past season.

Spinning or threadline fishing, with enough tricks to it, is fascinating to the sportsman.

Several hollow metal rod makers, realizing the method has caught the anglers' fancy, are now imitating English and French split bamboo rods. Manufacturers of reels and lures are far behind the rod makers.

Most hooks used on the super light lures, are of wire so heavy that it is difficult to set the hook, together with the limber rod and 2 to 5 pound test threadline. The best lures are imports from England and Switzerland.

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A MAJOR REVOLUTION in reels is forecast by the introduction of a remarkable new reel christened the "slip cast." it is an adaptation of the conventional English, French and Swiss fixed spool, spinning type reel.

American ingenuity has so redesigned the new "slip cast reel" that it can be used with either bait or spinning rods. It mounts on top of the rod, and reels with the right hand.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the reel is a trigger which controls the line when the bale is disengaged. Pressure on the trigger stops the line at any desired distance. That is something which is most difficult to accomplish with the regular spinning or threadline reel.

Since the spool does not revolve, it cannot overrun, regardless of how suddenly the forward motion of the line is stopped. To the novice, it provides a quickly learned method of achieving casts without backlash. For the expert it unvells a field of sport not practical with threadline on the usual bait casting rod and reel.

Post Consensus

AT GULFSTREAM

1—Mel Indian, No Leddie, Tica Tica.
2—Uncle Byron, Offenbach, Tarawa.
3—Fats Anne, River Pilot, Bully.
4—Burning Twig, Sir Spic, Bourbon.
5—Last Bill, Attic, Head Show.
6—MUSIC, El Mono, Hot and High.
7—Jingle Jangle, Attendant, Jarvis Bay.
8—Brown Ruin, Siell, Comic Ann.

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Blind Buyer, Prime Minister, Ann's Laddie.
2—Chiff Chaff, Wintime, Eleanor Powell.
3—Gay Pilate, Salgin, Topsy.
4—LADY ROMERY, Curfew Girl, Pete's Gold.
5—Halogi, Bit of Nerve, Burler.
6—Woofie, White Easter, Falsely.
7—Our Birthday, Beau Wynn, White Ford.
8—Kohinoor, Pontchartrain, Pharaquest.

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Jockeys McGowan, Arduini Injured at Charles Town

Official Racing Chart for Charles Town

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1947—BY WALTER HAIGHT.
WEATHER CLEAR. TRACK MUDDY.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $800. For 3-year-olds up; claiming. Start good for all but SANDALS FLEET. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 1:10. Off at 1:10½. Winner, Mrs. A. White's blk. f. (4) by Wise Pete—Little Brook. Trained by J. Sweet. Value, $800. Time, 0:52.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	54.	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
WISETTE	(Arduini)	115	2	3	1°	1°	1°	$7.70
MARYLAND MORN	(Baird)	118	6	1	2°	2°	2½	3.30
DOCTOR'S CARE	(Baluja)	114	4	2	3°	3°	3°	11.60
WAY LASS	(Holland)	115	5	4	5°	5°	4°	14.40
YELLOW SILK	(Matral)	115	1	6	4°	4°	5°	4.10
TEXAS RUFF	(Weber)	121	3	5	6°	6°	6½	17.50
SCUTTLE SLIP	(Gonzales)	113	7	7	7	7	7	81.50
SANDALS FLEET	(Brady)	111	8	Refused				5.00

WISETTE, $3.40, $3.40, $3.80; MARYLAND MORN, $4.00, $3.40; DOCTOR'S NURSE, $3.40.

SECOND RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $800; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won easily; place driving. Went to post at 1:34. Off at 1:34½. Winner, S. H. Hall's b. g. (5) by Sun Lad—Mintess. Trained by J. T. Thayer. Value, $800. Time, 1:11⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	M.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
MINT MASTER	(G. Miller)	120	2	2	1°	1°	1°	1°	$1.20
DOUBLE EDDY	(O'Brien)	117	8	7	5°	3½	2°	2°	10.80
FORTY BANKS	(Weber)	121	3	1	3°	4°	3°	3°	22.40
MY LAST DOLLAR	(Matral)	120	6	5	6°	6°	5°	4°°	23.00
GOLDEN VICTORY	(Barnes)	117	4	4	4°	2°	4½	5°°	61.50
BOBBY BOY	(Clemeroy)	120	7	8	8	8	6	6	3.30
BUCK THIRTEEN	(McGowan)	120	5	6	7°	7°	Fell		8.40
LASSIE GOVANS	(Brady)	112	1	3	2½	2°	Fell		4.50

MINT MASTER, $4.40, $2.80, $3.00; DOUBLE EDDY, $7.00, $6.20; FORTY BANKS, $10.00.

DAILY DOUBLE, WISETTE AND MINT MASTER, PAID $13.60.

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:01. Off at 2:01½. Winner, A. Bacovin's b. g. (3) by East Side II—Quiddita. Trained by R. Weller. Value, $700. Time, 1:23⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
THIRD AVENUE	(McKinney)	111	5	2	1½	1°	1½	1°	$10.40
BRIARBROOM	(Chasero)	120	3	3	2°	2½	2°	2°	3.80
SHOE SHINE	(Barnes)	115	8	5	5°	4°	3°	3°	3.80
ADJACENT	(Weber)	121	6	6	4°	3°	3°	4°°	3.30
NOBLE PLAY	(Holland)	116	7	4	7½	7°	6½	5°	8.40
VERTE	(Boston)	119	4	7	6°	6°	7°	6°	7.90
SILVER CLOTH	(G. Miller)	117	1	1	3°	4½	5°	7°	18.80
OVER THE HILL	(Miralles)	112	2	8	8	8	8	8	6.50

THIRD AVENUE, $23.80, $9.80, $5.20; BRIARBROOM, $6.20, $4.20; SHOE SHINE, $4.40.

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good for all but CHIPPING IN. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:29. Off at 2:29. Winner, O. A. Edgeworth's b. m. (7) by Mowles—Golden Bussel. Trained by T. Carter. Value, $700. Time, 1:30⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	⅞	Str.	Fin.	Straight
GOLDEN BABE	(Barnes)	115	8	3	1°	1½	1½	1½	1¾	$12.20
ORCUS	(Weber)	121	5	6	5°	2°	2°	2°	3°	.90
GAYOLADE	(Lombardi)	113	4	2	2°	3°	3°	3°°	3½	19.30
DR. ZIMMER	(Law)	118	3	1	3°	4½	5°	5°	4°	19.20
SUNDAY KNIGHT	(Serno)	121	1	4	4½	5°	4°	4°	5°	2.00
TRANSLINK	(Matral)	119	7	5	8°	6½	6°	6°	6°	11.00
LA OSUNA	(Baluja)	115	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	43.00
CHIPPING IN	(Boston)	118	2	Refused						46.30

GOLDEN BABE, $26.40, $6.60, $4.00; ORCUS, $3.00, $2.80; GAYOLADE, $4.20.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:56. Off at 2:56. Winner, Mrs. G. Fishback's b. m. (6) by Oyster Bay—Centenary. Trained by D. Chamblin. Value, $700. Time, 1:51.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
GRANDMA C.	(Law)	113	6	4	3°	3°	3°	3°	1½	$6.00
GAMBLING ANDY	(Baird)	116	5	1	1°	1°	1½	2½	2hd	1.20
FITZTOWN	(Snyder)	112	2	3	2°	2°	2°	1½	3½	11.20
PRETENDER	(Lombardi)	113½	3	5	6½	7°	6½	6½	4°	19.10
SIS CARRIE	(O'Brien)	118	6	7	8	8	8	5hd	5°	4.30
ELECTRIC	(Barnes)	114	7	8	4°	4°	4½	4½	6°	6.90
MISS STEVIE	(Matral)	119	4	6	7°	6½	5½	7°	7½	12.90
PANDORAMINT	(Baluja)	111	8	2	5°	5½	7°	8	8	36.40

GRANDMA C., $14.00, $4.60, $3.60; GAMBLING ANDY, $3.40, $2.40; FITZTOWN, $6.00.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1500; allowances. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won handily; place driving. Went to post at 3:26. Off at 3:26. Winner, W. Kendrick's ch. m. (6) by Okapi—Sandra II. Trained by F. Y. Whiteley, jr. Value, $975. Time, 1:49⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
FLEETEST	(Baird)	113½	3	5	5°	1°	1°	1°	$1.50
RANGER MOSBY	(Arduini)	118	4	6	6	6	3½	2°½	2°	2.70
LARKAROUND	(Law)	116	6	4	4½	3½	4°	3°	3°	14.70
INTRIKL	(O'Brien)	121	1	1	2°	2½	2°	4°	4°	4.20
BETTY'S BOBBY	(G. Miller)	117	2	2	1½	4°	5°	5°	5½	4.80
SECRET KNIGHT	(Baluja)	115	5	3	1½	1°	2½	4½	6	22.10

FLEETEST, $5.00, $3.80, $2.40; RANGER MOSBY, $4.20, $2.60; LARKAROUND, $2.80.

SEVENTH RACE—Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1200; allowances. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won handily; place driving. Went to post at 3:54. Off at 3:54. Winner, F. L. Miller's dk. f. (4) by Bull Moose—Mains Wander. Trained by owner. Value, $850. Time, 0:50⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BELLE MOOSE	(Baird)	120	7	1	1°	1°	1°	1°	$1.50
JOE'S FAVORITE	(Law)	117	3	4	3½	2°	2°	2°	19.60
SAINT PATRICK	(Lombardi)	111½	6	5	4°	3°	3°	3°	57.70
RED ROBERT	(Boston)	118	4	3	6°	4°	4°	4°	8.70
LICORICE	(Truschka)	115	5	6	5½	5	5	5	7.00
SIGNAL'S BLOKE	(Holland)	116	2	7	7	7	Fell		14.30
ROMAN BOY	(Arduini)	114	1	2	2°	6°	Fell		1.50

BELLE MOOSE, $3.00, $3.80, $4.00; JOE'S FAVORITE, $12.00, $7.00; SAINT PATRICK, $8.60.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-fourth miles. Purse, $1200; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:24. Off at 4:24. Winner, J. L. Carthright's b. g. (12) by Longworth—Her Own. Trained by owner. Value, $850. Time, 2:10⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
WORTHOWNING	(Law)	118	6	6	6°	6°	3°	1½	1½	$3.00
VETERAN	(Scoco)	115	7	1	1°	1°	1°	2°	2°	22.60
SHADY DOLAN	(O'Brien)	115	5	5	5°	5°	5½	3hd	3½	6.30
OLE'S GAL	(Lombardi)	112	1	3	3°	4½	3°	4°	4°	2.70
SNOWSTORM	(G. Miller)	117	3	2	4½	3hd	7°	5hd	5°	17.60
SPIKERY	(Boston)	115	8	4	2°	2°	4°	6°	6°	4.50
SHOOT FIRST	(Baluja)	115	2	7	7	8	6°	7°	7°	42.60
ENDTOWN	(Baird)	111	3	8	8	7	8	8	8	3.60

WORTHOWNING, $8.00, $4.00, $2.80; VETERAN, $16.40, $6.60; SHADY DOLAN, $4.20.

Charles Town Entries, Odds

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; 3-year-olds and upward; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Bang Boy (no boy)	112	4-1
2	Ann's Laddie (Holland)	123	5-2
3	Brilliant Sue (no boy)	109	6-1
4	Fairy O. (Lombardi)	109	8-1
5	One Flag (Barber)	114	8-1
6	Dot A. (no boy)	114	10-1
7	Irian Leader (Olney)	117	12-1
8	Blind Buyer (no boy)	112	4-1
9	Ethel Morse (no boy)	109	8-1
10	Famas Time (Matral)	120	4-1
11	Tarnola (Baird)	117	12-1
12	Isle of Man (no boy)	117	15-1
13	Prime Minister (Baird)	123	4-1
14	Betty Bane (Cardosa)	117	20-1

SECOND RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1000; 3-year-olds and upward; claiming.

1	Claire Whizz (Barber)	107	8-1
2	Eleanor Powell (no boy)	107	3-1
3	Winsima (Brady)	107	6-1
4	My Exit (Baird)	118	4-1
5	Dual Cab (Matral)	112	6-1
6	Linda's Wash (McKinney)	107	12-1
7	Chiff Chaff (Glang)	113	3-1
8	Van Tryst (Hunsmer)	115	8-1
9	Boleysngrey (no boy)	110	10-1
10	Riverbank (Weber)	118	12-1
11	Sitsan (no boy)	113	3-1
12	Stormy Bill (Boston)	115	6-1
13	Bloodhound (no boy)	113	8-1
14	Calendar (no boy)	116	15-1

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; 2-year-olds; allowances.

1	Study in Blue (Barber)	111	8-1
2	Tatting (Truschka)	115	20-1
3	Gay Pilate (Weber)	113	3-1
4	Salgin (no boy)	115	4-1
5	St. Victor (Glang)	114	12-1
6	Don of Reno (no boy)	114	15-1
7	Toppy (Cardosa)	115	4-1
8	Spindly (no boy)	114	10-1
9	Ring Time (no boy)	109	6-1
10	Blue Smoke (no boy)	111	20-1
11	Porto Jr. (no boy)	113	8-1
12	The Shot (no boy)	115	15-1
13	High Heart (no boy)	109	12-1
14	Sweets (Barnes)	115	6-1

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $1000; 4-year-olds and upward; claiming.

1	Curfew Girl (no boy)	111	3-1
2	Lady Romery (Baird)	110	8-1
3	Wraktair (Carrillo)	114	3-1
4	Chance Oak (Arduini)	114	3-1
5	Baby Moose (no boy)	111	12-1
6	Roland (Barber)	109	15-1
7	Fetes Gold (Lewis)	109	6-1
8	Bala Dell (Gonzales)	111	12-1
9	Duke Tower (Miralles)	114	12-1
10	Toonerville (O'Brien)	114	8-1
11	Ringalong (no boy)	114	8-1
12	Paltry Boy (no boy)	109	10-1
13	Nella Jones (no boy)	111	6-1
14	Mother Daisy (Baird)	111	8-1

FIFTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $1200; for 3-year-olds and upward; claiming.

1	Gallantry (Baird)	116	3-1
2	Halogi (Weber)	116	3-1
3	Fatuzzni Bells (Grant)	108	6-1
4	Gisster (Anyon)	116	8-1
5	Bugler (Snyder)	114	4-1
6	Grey Del (Drury)	111	4-1
7	Bit of Nerve (G. Miller)	122	3-1
8	Busy Moose (Brady)	108	8-1
9	Tap Lightly (no boy)	111	6-1
10	Kai Lee (no boy)	116	8-1
11	Titian (no boy)	113	4-1
12	Reno Unity (no boy)	108	10-1
13	Wellfret (no boy)	111	20-1
14	Arg Blue (no boy)	111	15-1

SIXTH RACE—Charles Town Course; purse, $1200; for 3-year-olds and upward; allowances.

1	White Easter (Ballenger)	175	
2	Matoska (Brady)	106	12-1
3	Oyster K. (Carrillo)	120	4-1
4	Miss Haste (Cardosa)	111	6-1
5	Miss Orsek (Barber)	117	10-1
6	Patrician (Arduini)	114	12-1
7	Falsely (Law)	117	5-2
8	Woodie (Weber)	114	4-1
9	Miss Prime (Brady)	110	4-1
10	Experiment (Glang)	109	15-1
11	Sunny River (Arduini)	111	12-1
12	Flash Anna (Cardosa)	109	20-1
13	Knight's Kurry (Arduini)	109	8-1
14	Barletta (Snyder)	109	8-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one sixteenth miles; purse, $1200; for 3-year-olds and upward; allowances.

1	Blue April (McKinney)	104	12-1
2	Gallant Dot (Arduini)	113	8-1
3	Sun Target (G. Miller)	110	6-1
4	Our Birthday (Cadosa)	113	4-1
5	She's Right (no boy)	104	15-1
6	Beau Wynn (Cardoza)	121	5-2
7	Winged Heels (Law)	113	6-1
8	Lovanila, (no boy)	105	6-1
9	White Ford (Cardoza)	112	6-1
10	†Larkaround (Weber)	112	6-1
11	Petes Wrax (no boy)	106	15-1
12	Billy Bits (no boy)	107	12-1
13	†Lictor (Weber)	113	6-1

†Flahback entry.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one sixteenth miles; purse, $1000; for 4-year-olds and upward; claiming.

1	Texaldus (McKinney)	113	10-1
2	Kehinoor (McGowan)	110	4-1
3	Pickworth (G. Miller)	112	20-1
4	Pharaquest (McTigue	112	3-1
5	Princess V. L. (no boy)	112	12-1
6	Lee's Gayle (Arduini)	112	12-1
7	Pontchartrain (Tammaro)	112	4-1
8	Mr. Jimmie (Carrillo)	115	5-2
9	Calabozo (no boy)	110	4-1
10	Fluster (Drury)	110	5-2
11	Ann San (McKinney)	107	12-1
12	Scotty's Gown (no boy)	121	6-1
13	Patience (no boy)	112	6-1

Fair Grounds

1—¾; $1300; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Cloverland Son	108	Grass Child	112
Ala Bud	115	Texas Fortden	113
First Degree	115	Little Clipper	115
Blocky B.	110	Lady Rhesanelle	112
Ever Win	111	Jim Jam	110
Andemas	110	Upton	110
Temporary	110	Lake Boy	115
Doc Miller	112	Chancy Lad	115

2—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Break Thru	117	Assumption	100
Inver Mark Girl	114	Calm Port	111
Harrier	109	Buds Folly	105
Marconis Time	103	Oswego Dr.	108
Odd Pair	114	River Jack	117
Quiz	111	Fleet Imp	110
Valdina Beer	114	Portwise	108
Good Hunting	111	Martys Choice	108

3—¾; $1200; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Blitzite	108	Glemie Cash	109
Blitzen Jr.	115	Busy Dream	110
Willow Twig	104	Mary Barr	112
Gilded Bird	104	We Hope	102
Bold Harry	112		

4—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.

McLish	108	Junior Wolf	108
Blank Dismay	107	Perforate	111
Here Me	113	Merry Mary	102
Lower Egypt	113	Glider Pilot	113
Bulldog Miss	113	Frisian Lass	111
Franks Pal	113	Wabasso	110

5—¾; $1300; 2-year-old fillies & maidens.

Brushy	113	Miss Mayvic	116
Inez Dorsett	116	Deanna	113
Smooth as Silk	111	Rieifire	109
Spurette	116	Polly W.	116
Merriment	111	Leber	111
Balaway	116		

6—1 1/16; $1400; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Four Trix	112	Seventeen Guns	104
Donna Like	108	Hasten Jason	113
Valdina Infant	115	Little Stick	106
Lost and Found	112		

7—1 1/16; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Hike	110	Mac Pilm	116
Montree	116	Gala Prox	113
Rap Joy	115	Sunder	112

8—1 1/16; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Table Mesa	113	Here's Harvey	112
War Train	108	Heeldust	112
Filedust	112	Darby Dismay	107
Keep Away	115	Bright Wave	107
Fine Tree	108	Nod	114
Meetsum	112	Sax Bee	113
Sangabi	116	Sea Convoy	107
Say Noondre	104	Tolliway	111
Son O'Bosun	110	Vinita Upset	112

1—¾; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Hy Spread, 108 (Lamb) 23.60 7.20 4.20
Killybebbin, 107 (Furch) 6.00 3.20
Cherry Boy, 110 (D'Augustino) 2.60
Mr. Mel, Nite Cries, Pipeliner, Winnebago, Lestabert, Flagshifter also ran. Time, 1:17⅘.

2—5½; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Page II, 112 (Spencer) 5.40 4.00 2.80
Razzback, 108 (Smithers) 10.80 7.20
Old Silk, 107 (Furch) 3.40
Sweet Tune, Dover Road, Taters, Cooling Spring, Tony G., Try Flight also ran.

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3—1 1/16; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Cerberus, 110 (D'Augustino) 3.80 2.80 2.40
Busy Count, 111 (Cavese) 31.80 10.60
Parishyde, 107 (Furch) 3.00
Realman, Heverme, Dona Ramona, Spoon Bread, Back Attack, Caumsett also ran. Time, 2:03⅘.

4—5½; $1400; allowances; 3-year-olds.

Merry Zac, 119 (Schultz) ..... 3.80 5.40 out
Picturesque, 110 (D'Augustino) ..... 7.80 out
Varsia, 115 (Mesa) ..... out
Whoots, Run Sally also ran. Time, 1:16⅘.

5—5½; $1300; allowances; 3-year-olds.

Bishwall, 114 (Furch) 17.80 6.60 4.40
Victory Banner, 119 (Mesa) 4.20 2.40
Oakmair, 110 (Ledger) 10.60
Corkery Girl, Praiseman, Leave Hold, Ale Reigh, May Comic, Blob Jr. also ran. Time, 1:17⅘.

6—1 1/16; $2000; allowances; 3-year-olds up.

May Fly, 112 (D'Augustino) ..... 9.20 3.20 out
Tidy Sum, 117 (Bates) ..... 2.40 out
Penny's Gal, 106 (Furch) ..... out
Joy Pop, Franklah King also ran.

7—1 1/16; $1300; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Grenad Signal, 111 (Milligan) 16.20 5.00 4.20
Miss Busy Bee, 109 (Badgett) 7.40 3.60
Forapiera, 115 (Keane) 2.60
Wise Faisano, For Granted, Marseilles also ran. Time, 1:53.

8—1 1/16; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Crazy Horse, 116 (Schoultz) 7.40 4.60 3.20
†Upsden, 107 (Tenaglio) 5.20 4.40
Star Thorne, 113 (D'Augustino) 4.60
†Alert Sun, Up Front, Sweep Play, Lochnpas, Bob's Dream, Bay Acre, Herbie, Tacoma also ran. Time, 1:55.

Fleetest Captures Feature On Perilous, Muddy Track

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 17.—Fleetest, a filly with a rags-to-riches history that began here several years ago, regained her winning form today on a program marked by several accidents.

Carrying the colors of Wayne Kendrick of Washington, D. C., the 6-year-old came to the finish line three lengths ahead of Mrs. Arthur White's Ranger Mosby with Mrs. George Fishback's Larkaround third in a field of six, reduced due to the treacherous condition of the track.

Baird Has 15th Winner

With Jockey Jimmy Baird riding his fifteenth winner of the meeting, Fleetest was a $5 favorite despite being away from the winner's circle since last summer. She was clocked in 1:49 4/5 for the mile and a sixteenth. The oval was frozen underneath with a mud coating.

A spill came in the running of the second race and Jockey Frank McGowan was hospitalized with a left-shoulder dislocation while his mount, R. Cartright's Buck Thirteen, was destroyed. The 5-year-old tripped and fell over H. B. Ferguson's Lassie Govans who crashed into the fence and went down leaving the backstretch.

Jockey Ray Arduini, of Washington, escaped with minor injuries, including a bruised knee, in a mishap in the seventh race. He was riding the P. H. Faulconer Estate's Roman Boy along the inside rail when the 11-year-old fell. Jockey Skeets Holland also went down with the Jeff-Lin stable's Signal's Bloke in the spill. Holland was unhurt, but Arduini was taken to the hospital as a precautionary measure.

Jockey Kenneth Foster suffered a bruised left leg before the card began. He was hurt while the horses were in the gate for the first race when G. P. Smart's Way Lass fell in the stall.

In the feature race, the Kenneth Gilpin Memorial purse, F. E. Westenberger's Secret Knight went to the front with G. C. Smith's Betty's Bobby close up while Baird allowed Fleetest to settle into stride. When asked, Fleetest went to the outside and forged to the front.

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3 More Banks Vote Dividend, Salary Melons

By S. Oliver Goodman

Three more year-end melons were announced yesterday for stockholders and employes of area banks.

Thomas J. Groom, president of Bank of Commerce & Savings, reported that an extra dividend of $1 a share, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of $2.50 a share on capital stock, had been authorized by directors. The dividends are payable December 31 to stock of record December 20. The board also voted a bonus to the operating staff of one month's salary to those employed for more than six months and one-half month's salary to newer workers. The bank's annual Christmas party will take place Saturday night with a dinner and dance at the Mayflower.

T. Howard Duckett, chairman of the board of Suburban National Bank, reported that an extra dividend of 10 cents a share in addition to the regular 40-cent dividend had been declared on the capital stock. Both dividends are payable January 2 to stock of record December 20. A Christmas bonus of 5 per cent of annual salary was distributed among all officers and employes. Directors also transferred $25,000 to surplus, raising this account to $375,000.

Prince Georges Bank & Trust Co. has authorized an additional bonus of 5 per cent for all employes as well as the regular 10 per cent annual bonus. Employes with less than one year's service will share proportionately. Directors approved the transfer of $100,000 from undivided profits to surplus account, making the latter $900,000. Yesterday, the bank also announced a 5 per cent extra dividend.

Washington employes of the G. C. Murphy Co. have received bonuses ranging from $5 after six months to $80 for 15 or more years' service.

Following a 15-year custom, H. Zirkin & Sons of Washington will pay a Christmas bonus to all employes based on length of service. The extra pay is equal to the largest ever distributed by the firm.

PANEL PARLEY: "Group Dynamics" is the subject for discussion at a dinner meeting tonight of the Washington Chapter, Society for Advancement of Management in Barker Hall. Dr. Ronald Lippitt of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Dr. John R. P. French, also of the M. I. T., will be members of a panel which will include Dr. Leland Bradford of National Education Association and Theron Butterworth of the United States Public Health Service.

NEW OFFERINGS: Otis & Co. offered 1,038,207 shares of common stock of Brown & Bigelow at $9.50 a share . . . W. C. Langley & Co. group offered 40,000 shares of Indianapolis Power & Light Co. $100-par 5 per cent preferred stock at $102 . . . Dillon, Read & Co. group offered 710,500 shares of Northern Natural Gas Co. common stock at $27 a share . . . Stone & Webster Securities Corp. group offered 272,852 shares of Gulf Utilities Co. at $12.50 a share to holders of record December 16. The stock is being offered in ratio of one share fo reach seven held . . . A syndicate headed by Halsey, Stuart & Co. was high bidder for $12,800,000 of New York Central Railroad equipment trust certificates, bidding 99.301 for a 2⅝ per cent coupon.

HIGHER RATES: Holders of $3,134,197,000 in Treasury certificates of indebtedness maturing January 1 will get an opportunity to exchange them for securities bearing a higher interest rate, the Treasury disclosed yesterday. The maturing certificates, which pay seven-eighths per cent interest, may be exchanged for new certificates at 1⅛ per cent interest, the Treasury said. Both the old and new issues run for one year.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—(Prices represent sales on wholesale markets.)

APPLES—Supplies moderate; market dull; bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches and up, Virginia Winesaps and Delicious, 4.00@4.50; Baldwins, 3.25@3.50; Yorks and Black Twigs, 2.75@3.00; boxes, Western Delicious, mostly 4.00@5.00.

SWEET POTATOES—Supplies moderate; market dull; U. S. No. 1, bushel baskets, Virginia, 1.75@2.25.

EGGS—Receipts light; market weaker; whites and browns (candled and graded), U. S. Grade A, large, 62@66 dozen; mediums, 55@56 dozen; U. S. Grade B, large, 58@59 dozen; U. S. Grade C, 46 dozen; pullets, 43 dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Receipts moderate; market about steady; broilers and fryers, mostly 34 pound; good colored hens, 25@26 pound; Leghorns, 14@16 pound; old roosters, 12@15 pound. Turkeys—Young toms, 40 pound; light, 42 pound; young hens, 50 pound; some 52 pound.

HOGS—Wednesday's market steady on all weights; top 25.75 for good and choice 180-240 lb. barrows and gilts; 90-100 lbs., 17.75; 100-120 lbs., 18.75; 120-140 lbs., 22.75; 140-160 lbs., 23.75; 160-180 lbs., 25.25; 240-300 lbs., 24.75; 300 lbs. and up, 23.25; good sows under 350 lbs., 22.75; 350-500 lbs., 20.25; over 500 lbs., 16.75; good stags, under 350 lbs., 19.75; over 350 lbs., 15.75.

CATTLE—The cattle market in Richmond is generally steady; cows are steady; medium to good beef cows sold 13.00@14.50; medium dairy type, 11.00@13.00; canners and cutters, 9.00@11.00; good beef cows quotable, 14.50@17.00; good heavy sausage bulls quotable, 14.50@16.00; medium bulls, 12.00@15.00, with best beef bulls quotable up to 18.00; lightweights, 11.00@14.00; good and choice vealers are steady, mostly 28.00 down, few choice higher; lower grades dull, medium and good, 20.00@25.00; common down to 12.00; good grade heavy calves are about steady at 18.00@21.00, with common and medium, 13.00@17.00.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 17 (AP) (U. S. Department of Agriculture).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; total, 18,500; market slow and steady after moderately active opening on all weights butchers; all early advance lost; bulk good and choice 180-300 lbs., 26.60@27.00; late sales mostly 26.60@26.75; extreme top, 27.25, for around two loads, but very little above 27.00; most weights over 250 lbs. at 26.85 and down; few good and choice 160-180 lb., 26.25@26.85; sows steady to mostly 25 cents lower; bulk good and choice under 500 lbs., 23.00@25.75; few, 24.00.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 8000; total, 8250; salable calves, receipts, 600; total, 600; active; slaughter cattle generally 25 to 50 cents higher, although medium and good yearling steers and heifers only steady; top, 30.00, paid for five load choice 1095-1375 lb. steers; other choice steers, 33.00@38.50; medium and good steers and yearlings, 22.50@32.00; three loads choice 950-1010 lb. fed heifers, 34.50@35.00; most medium and good heifers, 21.00@29.00; medium and good beef cows, 17.50@22.00; canners and cutters, 12.25@14.50; most good medium weight and heavy sausage bulls, 20.50@21.00; few good heavy sausage bulls, to 21.50; fat beef bulls to 22.00; vealers fully steady; top, 29.00.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 4000; total, about higher asking prices delaying slaughter and trade; no good and choice woolskins; sold early; most bids fully steady, but asking up to 24.75 for good and choice woolskins; lead good and choice around 95-lb. yearling wethers around steady at 20.25; early sales common and medium slaughter ewes strong at 9.25 to 9.75, but ewes not fully established.

Quotations On New York Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total sales 1,230,000 shares; previous day 1,080,000; week ago 1,080,000; week ago 1,120,340; year ago 1,107,490; two years ago 974,590; January 1 to date 240,972,713; year ago 351,531,110; two years ago 369,312,357.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 17 (AP).—

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch.
30 inds.	179.29	180.23	178.69	179.81	+0.37
20 rails	49.23	50.63	49.12	50.50	+1.18
15 utils.	32.94	33.18	32.81	33.04	+0.02
65 stocks	63.59	64.28	63.39	64.11	+0.44

Transactions in stocks used in averages to-day: industrials, 94,800; railroads, 95,200; utilities, 37,600. Total, 227,600.

Sales	Net
Add 00	High | Low | Close | Ch'ge

ABBOTT LAB.. 10 | 76¾ | 76 | 76¾ | + ⅜
ACF-Brill Mot. 3 | 6¾ | 6¾ | 6¾ | ....
Acme Steel .... 4 | 54¼ | 53¾ | 53¾ | −1⅛
Adams Exp .... 16 | 17 | 16¾ | 17 | ....
Addressog-Mult 3 | 36 | 36 | 36 | + ⅛
Admiral Corp.. 5 | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ | ....
Air Reduction. 57 | 26½ | 25¾ | 26½ | + ⅝
Alaska Juneau. 1 | 4 | 3⅞ | 3⅞ | ....
Aldens Inc .... 5 | 17⅝ | 17½ | 17½ | ....
Alleghany Corp 54 | 3⅜ | 3¼ | 3⅜ | + ⅛
Alleghany pf .. 19 | 94 | 93 | 93 | −1
Allen Lud Stl.. 15 | 30¾ | 29¾ | 30¾ | + ⅛
Al Chem & Dye 3 | 186 | 186 | 186 | ....
Allied Mills.... 7 | 33½ | 32¾ | 33½ | + ⅛
Allied Strs .... 22 | 32 | 31¾ | 31¾ | + ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg.... 22 | 39½ | 39 | 39½ | + ⅛
Allis-Ch M pf.. 6 | 94¼ | 94 | 94 | ....
Amal Leather.. 2 | 6¼ | 6½ | 6¼ | + ⅛
Amerada, Pet.. 19 | 94 | 92¾ | 94 | + ¾
Am Ag Ch Del.. 2 | 49¾ | 49½ | 49¾ | + ⅛
Am Airlines .... 71 | 7¾ | 7⅝ | 7⅝ | + ⅛
Am Airlines pf. 28 | 55½ | 53½ | 55¼ | + ⅝
Am Bank Note.. 11 | 22½ | 22 | 22⅜ | + ⅛
Am Bosch .... 1 | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ | ....
Am Brake Sh.. 8 | 40¾ | 40¼ | 40¼ | ....
Am Cable & R 19 | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | ....
Am Can ..... 17 | 79¾ | 79¼ | 79¼ | + ¼
Am Can pf.... 3 | 176 | 175 | 175 | −1
Am Car & Fdy.. 4 | 43¼ | 43¼ | 43¼ | −¼
Am Ch & Cable 10 | 21¾ | 21¼ | 21¼ | ....
Am Chicle .... 1 | 50¾ | 50¾ | 50¾ | ....
Am Crystal .. 8 | 20 | 20 | 20 | ....
Am Cyanamid.. 28 | 39¾ | 39¼ | 39¼ | ....
Am Cyan pf.... 9 | 105¼ | 104¼ | 104¾ | + ⅛
Am Distill .... 8 | 30 | 29½ | 30 | + ⅛
Am Encaus Tel. 1 | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ | ....
Am European .. 1 | 15 | 15 | 15 | ....
Am Export L.. 5 | 17½ | 17 | 17 | ....
Am & For Pw 21 | 2¾ | 2¾ | 2¾ | ....
Am & For Pw pf 20 | 8¾ | 8¼ | 8¼ | −⅛
Am-Hawaii SS.. 2 | 38¼ | 38¼ | 38¼ | + ¼
Am Hire & Lea 15 | 7⅞ | 7⅞ | 7⅞ | ....
Am Home Prod 24 | 24 | 23¾ | 23¾ | ....
Am Internat.... 3 | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ | ....
Am Locomotive. 36 | 21 | 20¾ | 20¾ | −⅛
Am Locomot pf 1 | 105 | 105 | 105 | ....
Am M & Fdy.... 15 | 19¾ | 19½ | 19¾ | ....
Am M & Met.... 3 | 8¾ | 8¾ | 8¾ | ....
Am Metal..... 6 | 27 | 26¾ | 27 | + ⅛
Am Molasses.... 2 | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ | ....
Am News Co .... 1 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ | + ⅛
Am Pow & Li.. 17 | 8½ | 8¼ | 8½ | ....
Am P & L $6 pf 5 | 92 | 91¾ | 92 | ....
Am P&L $5 pf.. 5 | 82 | 82 | 82 | −1
Am Rad&St S.. 28 | 15 | 14¾ | 14¾ | ....
Am Roll Mill.. 37 | 36¾ | 36 | 36¾ | + ⅛
Am SafetyRazor 5 | 10¾ | 10½ | 10½ | ....
Am Sealing .... 2 | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | ....
Am Smelt & R 12 | 58 | 57 | 57 | −1
Am Snuff ..... 1 | 33¾ | 33¾ | 33¾ | ....
Am Stl Fdrs.... 6 | 28¾ | 28¾ | 28¾ | ....
Am Stores .... 1 | 23½ | 23 | 23 | + ⅛
Am Tob "B".... 1 | 42½ | 42½ | 42½ | + ½
Am Viscose pf.. 1 | 119¾ | 119 | 119 | ....
Am Wat Wks.... 19 | 8¼ | 8⅛ | 8¼ | ....
Am WW&El.... 20 | 16¾ | 15⅞ | 16¼ | + ⅛
Am Woolen.... 18 | 44½ | 43½ | 44 | + ⅝
Am Zinc L&S.. 3 | 6¼ | 6¼ | 6¼ | ....
Anaconda Cop.. 25 | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¾ | + ⅛
Anchor Hock Gl 4 | 35½ | 35½ | 35½ | + ⅛
Anderson Clayt. 1 | 52¾ | 52¾ | 52¾ | ....
Ander-Prich Oil 13 | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ | ....
A P W Prod .... 22 | 5 | 5 | 5 | ....
Arch-Dan-M.... 1 | 35¾ | 35½ | 35½ | ....
Armour & Co.. 24 | 14¼ | 14 | 14 | ....
Armour pr pf.. 2 | 106½ | 106½ | 106½ | ....
Armstrong Cork 4 | 49¼ | 49 | 49¼ | + ⅛
Assd Dry Goods 3 | 15¼ | 15 | 15¼ | + ⅛
Associates Inv . 12 | 26½ | 25½ | 26¼ | + ⅛
Atch T & S F.. 42 | 87¾ | 84¾ | 87¾ | +2
Atch T&S F pf 11 | 101 | 100¼ | 100¼ | ....
A T F Inc..... 10 | 16¾ | 16 | 16¼ | + ⅛
Atl Coast Line 13 | 49¾ | 47½ | 49¾ | ....
Atl Refining .. 22 | 36 | 34¾ | 36 | +1¼
Atl Refin pf.. 2 | 110 | 108½ | 109¼ | ....
Atl Refin pf B 2 | 95 | 94¾ | 95 | + ¼
Atlas Corp..... 2 | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | + ⅛
Atlas Tack..... 1 | 24 | 24 | 24 | ....
Aust Nichols.... 1 | 6¾ | 6¾ | 6¾ | ....
Autocar Co..... 5 | 18¼ | 18⅛ | 18⅛ | ....
Autom Canteen 4 | 16½ | 16½ | 16½ | ....
Avco Mfg ..... 48 | 5 | 4¾ | 4¾ | −⅛
Avco Mfg pf.. 5 | 38⅛ | 37¼ | 38⅛ | + ⅝

BABBITT (B T) 1 | 14 | 14 | 14 | ....
Baid Loco .... 52 | 15 | 14¾ | 15 | + ⅛
Balt & Ohio.... 12 | 11⅞ | 11⅝ | 12⅜ | + ⅛
Balt & Oh pf.. 44 | 19½ | 18 | 19¾ | + ⅛
Bangor & Ar.... 3 | 14 | 13¾ | 14 | + ⅛
Barber Asph.... 3 | 44¾ | 44¾ | 44¾ | −⅛
Barker Bros.... 3 | 26 | 25¾ | 26 | + ⅛
Barnsdall Oil.. 37 | 37½ | 36¾ | 37 | + ⅛
Bath Ir Wks.... 13 | 9⅞ | 9⅝ | 9⅞ | + ⅛
Bayuk Cigars.. 1 | 23¾ | 23¾ | 23¾ | + ⅛
Beatrice Foods. 3 | 38½ | 38¼ | 38¼ | + ⅛
Beaunit Mills.. 5 | 18⅛ | 18⅛ | 18⅛ | + ⅛
Beech Aire .... 3 | 9 | 9 | 9 | ....
Beech-Nut Pack 4 | 35¼ | 34 | 35¼ | +1⅛
Bell Aire ..... 1 | 15⅛ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ | ....
Bell & Howell.. 4 | 23 | 23 | 23 | ....
Bendix Aviatn. 19 | 30⅞ | 30¼ | 30½ | ....
Bend Home Ap 18 | 21¼ | 20¾ | 21¼ | + ⅛
Benef Ind Ln.. 3 | 24 | 24 | 24 | ....
Best & Co .... 6 | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ | +1
Best Foods .... 22 | 31⅜ | 30¾ | 31⅜ | + ⅛
Beth Steel .... 26 | 100⅝ | 99¾ | 100⅝ | + ⅛
Beth Steel pf.. 2 | 138 | 138 | 138 | ....
Bigelow-Sanf.. 2 | 6¾ | 6⅝ | 6⅝ | −⅛
Birmingham El 1 | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | + ⅛
Black & Deck.. 3 | 29¼ | 29 | 29 | ....
Blaw-Knox .... 14 | 15⅝ | 15½ | 15⅝ | + ⅛
Bliss & Laugh.. 1 | 18¾ | 18¾ | 18¾ | ....
Bliss (E W).... 10 | 31 | 30¾ | 30¾ | ....
Boeing Airpl.. 9 | 22⅝ | 22½ | 22⅝ | + ⅛
Bohn Al & Br.. 9 | 31⅜ | 31 | 31⅜ | + ⅛
Bond Strs .... 7 | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ | + ⅛
Borden Co .... 6 | 41½ | 41½ | 41½ | ....
Borg-Warner.. 10 | 54 | 53 | 54 | +1
Bower Roll B.. 1 | 35¾ | 35¾ | 35¾ | −⅛
Braniff Airw.. 11 | 7¾ | 7½ | 7¾ | ....
Bridgeport Br.. 17 | 10¾ | 10¼ | 10¾ | + ⅛
Briggs Mfg .... 5 | 32½ | 32 | 32½ | + ⅛
Briggs & Strat 3 | 28 | 28 | 28 | + ⅛
Bristol-Myers.. 9 | 35¼ | 34¾ | 35 | + ⅛
Bklyn Un Gas.. 2 | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | ....
Brown Shoe .... 2 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ | +1
Bucyrus-Erie.. 6 | 19⅞ | 19⅝ | 19¾ | ....
Budd Co ..... 33 | 10⅜ | 10⅛ | 10⅜ | ....
Bulova Watch.. 5 | 36½ | 36¼ | 36½ | + ⅛
Burlington .... 1 | 86 | 86 | 86 | −1
Burling Mills.. 14 | 21¼ | 21 | 21 | ....
Burl Millscv pf 3 | 86¾ | 86 | 86 | −2
Burr Add Mach 8 | 14½ | 14¼ | 14¼ | ....
Butler Terminal 2 | 8 | 8 | 8 | ....
Butler Bros .... 4 | 12⅝ | 12⅝ | 12⅝ | + ⅛
Butte Cop & Z 1 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ | ....
Byers (A M) .. 3 | 18¾ | 18½ | 18½ | −⅛

CALIF PACK .. 6 | 33½ | 33½ | 33½ | −⅛
Callahan Z-Ld.. 4 | 1⅞ | 1⅞ | 1⅞ | ....
Calumet & Hec 10 | 7¾ | 7¾ | 7¾ | ....
Campbell Wyan 3 | 30½ | 30 | 30 | ....
Can Dry G Al 27 | 14½ | 14¼ | 14¼ | + ⅛
Canad Pacific. 69 | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ | ....
Cannon Mills .. 1 | 46¼ | 46¼ | 46¼ | ....
Capital Adm A 2 | 13¾ | 13¾ | 13¾ | ....
Caro P&L .... 10 | 28⅛ | 28 | 28 | ....
Carpenter Stl .. 2 | 18⅝ | 18½ | 18⅝ | ....
Carrier Corp .. 10 | 17½ | 17½ | 17½ | ....
Carriers & Gen 3 | 6⅞ | 6⅞ | 6⅞ | ....
Case (J I) Co.. 28 | 46⅞ | 43¾ | 46⅝ | + ⅛
Caterpil Tract.. 57 | 69¾ | 68¾ | 69¼ | + ⅛
Celanese Corp.. 25 | 27⅞ | 27¼ | 27⅞ | + ⅛
Celanese 1st pf 1 | 98¼ | 98¼ | 98¼ | ....
Celotex Corp .. 6 | 26⅞ | 26½ | 26½ | ....
Celotex Corp pf 20 | 26 | 26 | 26 | ....
Cent Aguirre .. 5 | 18⅜ | 18¼ | 18⅜ | ....
Cent Foundry .. 9 | 9¼ | 8¾ | 9 | ....
Cen Hud G&E.. 7 | 7¾ | 7¾ | 7¾ | ....
Cen NY Powpf 1 | 79¼ | 79 | 79¼ | ....
Cent Violeta S 2 | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13¼ | + ⅛
Century Rib M .. 2 | 9½ | 9½ | 9½ | ....
Cerro de Pas.. 25 | 27 | 26¾ | 27 | + ⅛
Certain-teed Pr. 9 | 16¼ | 16¼ | 16¼ | ....
Chain Belt .... 2 | 25 | 25 | 25 | ....
Champ P & F160 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | ....
Checker Cab .. 4 | 13 | 13 | 13 | ....
Ches Corp Va .. 26 | 27¾ | 27¼ | 27¼ | −⅛
Ches & Ohio .. 53 | 43¼ | 42¾ | 43¼ | + ⅛
Ches & Oh pf .. 5 | 88 | 87½ | 88 | ....
Chicago Corp.. 150 | 10¾ | 10¼ | 10¾ | + ⅛
Chi & E Ill A.. 6 | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ | + ⅛
Chi & E Ill B.. 6 | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ | + ⅛
Chi Grt West.. 5 | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ | ....
Chi Grt W pf.. 18 | 11¾ | 11½ | 11⅝ | + ⅛
Chi Ind & L .. 2 | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ | ....
Chi Ind & L B 16 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ | ....
Ch M SP&Pac 52 | 8¾ | 8¼ | 8⅜ | + ⅛
Ch MSP&P pf.. 35 | 33 | 31½ | 33 | +1¼
Chi & NW .... 25 | 16¼ | 16 | 16¼ | + ⅛
Chi & N W pf 17 | 36½ | 35¼ | 36½ | + ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool 3 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ | −⅛
Chi Yell Cab.. 2 | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ | ....
Chick Cot Oil 1 | 16¼ | 16¼ | 16¼ | ....
Childs Co..... 1 | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | ....
Chrysler Corp 39 | 63 | 62¾ | 63 | + ⅛
Cin G & E.... 15 | 25 | 24¾ | 25 | ....
Cin Mill Mch .. 8 | 23¾ | 23¼ | 23½ | ....
C I T Finan.. 43 | 39½ | 38½ | 39½ | + ⅛
City Ice&Fuel 1 | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ | ....
City Stores .... 2 | 15¼ | 15¼ | 15¼ | ....
Clev El Illum 19 | 36¼ | 35¾ | 36¼ | + ⅛
Clev Graph Br 2 | 30¼ | 30 | 30¼ | ....
Climax Molyb 19 | 15½ | 15¼ | 15⅜ | −⅛
Clinton Ind.... 1 | 36¾ | 36¾ | 36¾ | + ⅛
Cluett Peabody 13 | 36 | 35¼ | 36 | + ⅛
Coca-Cola..... 1 | 178 | 178 | 178 | +2
Colgate-Palm-P 10 | 43½ | 42½ | 43½ | +1
Collins & Aik 4 | 25 | 24¾ | 25 | + ⅛
Colonial Mills 2 | 19 | 19 | 19 | ....
Col Fuel & Ir 7 | 15¾ | 15½ | 15½ | ....
Col F & Ir pf 2 | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | ....
Colum Brcast A 4 | 24¼ | 23¾ | 24¼ | + ⅜
Colum Brcast B 2 | 23¼ | 23¼ | 23¼ | ....
Colum G & El 40 | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ | ....
Colum Pict.... 4 | 13¾ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | −⅛
Colum Carbon 10 | 34⅝ | 34 | 34⅝ | + ⅜
Col & So Oh El 8 | 38⅝ | 38½ | 38⅝ | −⅛
Coml Credit.. 17 | 42½ | 41 | 41½ | −¾
Coml Solvents 17 | 22⅜ | 22¼ | 22¼ | −⅛
Comwlth Edis 62 | 25⅞ | 25½ | 25¾ | ....
Comwl & Sou 115 | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | + ⅛
Com & Sou pf 19 | 98 | 96⅜ | 97¾ | + ⅛
Conde Nast.... 2 | 11¼ | 11⅛ | 11¼ | + ⅛
Consoleum-Nai 2 | 31½ | 31½ | 31½ | ....
Cons Copperm 5 | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ | ....
Cons Edison.. 58 | 21⅜ | 21¼ | 21¼ | ....
Cons Edison pf 6 | 105 | 105 | 105 | ....
Cons Grocers 2 | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | ....
Cons Nat Gas 5 | 50¾ | 50⅜ | 50½ | −⅛
Con RR Cuba pf 12 | 25¼ | 24¾ | 25 | + ⅛
Cons Ret Strs 2 | 13⅜ | 13⅜ | 13⅜ | + ⅛
Cons Vultee.. 21 | 13¾ | 13 | 13 | − ⅛
Container Corp 9 | 42¼ | 42 | 42 | ....
Cont Bak..... 20 | 12¼ | 12 | 12 | −⅛
Cont Bak pf.. 1 | 94 | 94 | 94 | +1¾
Cont Can..... 43 | 33¾ | 33 | 33½ | −⅛
Cont Can pf .... 3 | 96¼ | 95 | 96¼ | −1¼
Cont Ins ..... 4 | 51½ | 50¾ | 51½ | + ⅛
Cont Motors .. 20 | 8 | 7⅞ | 7⅞ | −⅛
Cont Oil Del .. 70 | 54⅜ | 52 | 54 | +2
Cont Steel .... 6 | 16 | 15¾ | 16 | ....
Cooper-Bess .. 5 | 25¼ | 25¼ | 25¼ | + ⅛
Copperweld Stl. 9 | 13½ | 13⅜ | 13½ | ....
Corn Products. 7 | 65¼ | 65⅛ | 65⅛ | + ⅛
Cornell-Dub El 11 | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13¼ | + ⅛
Corning Glass.. 19 | 20¼ | 19¾ | 19¾ | −⅛
Coty Inc ..... 10 | 4¾ | 4¾ | 4¾ | ....
Coty Internat.. 7 | 2¾ | 2¾ | 2¾ | ....
Crane Co ..... 10 | 34¾ | 34 | 34 | −⅛
Crane Co pf.... 1 | 97 | 97 | 97 | ....
Cream of Wh .. 1 | 23 | 23 | 23 | ....
Creameries Am 8 | 12¼ | 12⅛ | 12⅛ | ....
Crown Cork&S . 7 | 43 | 44 | 44¼ | −⅛
Crown Zeller.. 3 | 33½ | 33½ | 33½ | + ⅛
Crucible Steel.. 7 | 25⅜ | 24¾ | 25¾ | + ⅛
Crucible Stl pf 4 | 69½ | 68½ | 68½ | ....
Cuban-Am Sug 6 | 15¾ | 15⅝ | 15⅝ | −⅛
Cudahy Pack.. 34 | 13½ | 13¼ | 13¼ | ....
Cuneo Press.. 1 | 16 | 16 | 16 | ....
Curtis Publishg 30 | 9¼ | 8¾ | 9 | ....
Curtis Pub pr pf 1 | 59 | 59 | 59 | ....
Curtiss-Wright. 14 | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¾ | + ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A.. 3 | 18⅜ | 19¼ | 19¼ | + ⅛

DANA CORP.. 2 | 23½ | 23½ | 23½ | ....

EAGLE-PICH.. 2 | 21⅞ | 21⅝ | 21⅝ | − ⅛
Eastern A L.... 22 | 10¼ | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | ....
Eastern Stl.... 2 | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ | + ⅛
Eastman Kodak 21 | 44¼ | 43⅝ | 44¼ | + ⅛
Eaton Mfg ..... 1 | 54 | 54 | 54 | ....
Edis Bros Strs. 2 | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ | ....
Elec Auto-Lite.. 6 | 52 | 51½ | 51½ | −⅛
Elec Boat ..... 3 | 12¾ | 12¾ | 12¾ | + ⅛
El Household .. 10 | 20¼ | 20 | 20¼ | + ⅛
El Pow & Li.. 45 | 17¾ | 17 | 17⅜ | ....
El P&L $7 pf.. 1 | 152½ | 152½ | 152½ | +2½
El P&L $6 pf.. 1 | 137¾ | 137¾ | 137¾ | + ¾
El Storage Bat. 4 | 57¼ | 57¼ | 57¼ | −⅛
Elgin Nat Wat. 4 | 15¼ | 15¼ | 15¼ | ....
El Paso N Gas 3 | 56¾ | 56¾ | 56¾ | ....
Emerson El M.. 9 | 16¼ | 16 | 16¼ | + ⅛
Emerson Rad & Ph 8 | 23 | 22¾ | 23 | ....
Empire D El.. 9 | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ | ....
Endicott-John.. 5 | 35¾ | 35 | 35¾ | −⅛
Equit Off Bldg. 60 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ | ....
Equit Gas B rt. 122 | ⅞ | ¾ | ¾ | ....
Erie RR ..... 50 | 9¼ | 9⅛ | 9⅛ | + ⅛
Erie RR pf A.. 1 | 49¾ | 49¾ | 49¾ | + ¼
Eversharp ..... 13 | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ | + ⅛
Exchange Buff. 11 | 10¾ | 10½ | 10½ | ....

FAIRBANKS M 2 | 53 | 53 | 53 | −1
Fajardo Sugar. 1 | 30½ | 30½ | 30½ | −⅛
Faraut T & R.. 12 | 2 | 2 | 2 | ....
Fedders-Quig.. 30 | 13¼ | 12⅝ | 13¼ | + ⅛
Fed Mng & Sm.. 2 | 37½ | 37½ | 37½ | ....
Fed Mot Truck 2 | 24 | 24 | 24 | ....
Fed Water "A" 2 | 21¼ | 21¼ | 21¼ | + ⅛
Felt & Tarr M 2 | 21½ | 21½ | 21½ | ....
Fid P Fire Ins 1 | 55½ | 55½ | 55½ | + ⅛
Firestone T&R.. 4 | 50¾ | 50 | 50¾ | ....
First Nat Strs.. 2 | 59 | 58½ | 59 | ....
Firth Carpet.. 2 | 16¾ | 16¾ | 16¾ | ....
Flintkote ..... 12 | 36¼ | 36 | 36 | ....
Florence Stove 1 | 33 | 33 | 33 | ....
Florida Pow.. 19 | 13⅜ | 13¼ | 13¼ | + ⅛
Follansbee Stl 6 | 10¾ | 10¾ | 10¾ | ....
Food Fair Strs 14 | 10¾ | 10½ | 10½ | −⅛
Food Machinery 2 | 81 | 81 | 81 | ....
Foster Wheeler 16 | 30¾ | 30 | 30¾ | + ⅛
Francisco Sug.. 1 | 39¼ | 39¼ | 39¼ | ....
Freeport Sulph 3 | 39¼ | 39½ | 39½ | −⅛
Fruehauf Tra 25 | 20¾ | 19¾ | 20¼ | −⅛
Fruehauf Tra pf 1 | 78¾ | 78½ | 78½ | −⅛

GABRIEL CO.. 1 | 9¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ | −⅛
Gair (Robert) 13 | 9 | 8¾ | 9 | ....
Gair Robert pf 1 | 19¾ | 19¾ | 19¾ | + ⅛
Gamewell Co.. 13 | 22 | 22 | 22 | ....
Gardner-Denver 2 | 21¾ | 21¾ | 21¾ | + ⅛
Gar Wood Ind 10 | 6 | 6 | 6 | ....
Gar Wood pf.. 1 | 30 | 30 | 30 | −⅛
Gaylord Cont.. 13 | 10¼ | 10 | 10 | ....
Gen Am Invest 22 | 13¾ | 13½ | 13⅝ | + ⅛
Gen Am Inv pf 1 | 101 | 101 | 101 | +2
Gen Am Trans 14 | 56¾ | 56 | 56¾ | + ⅛
Gen Baking.... 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | ....
Gen Bronze.... 2 | 12 | 12 | 12 | ....
Gen Cable..... 10 | 12⅜ | 12¼ | 12⅜ | ....
Gen Cable 2 pf 1 | 40 | 40 | 40 | +1
Gen Cigar..... 2 | 23¼ | 23 | 23⅛ | + ⅛
Gen Elec..... 67 | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¾ | + ⅛
Gen Foods..... 24 | 35½ | 34¾ | 34¾ | −⅛
Gen Foods pf.. 3 | 88 | 88 | 88 | −1½
Gen Mills..... 9 | 48½ | 48½ | 48½ | + ¼
Gen Mills 3¾ pf 1 | 104¼ | 104¼ | 104¼ | −2
Gen Motors.... 46 | 57¾ | 57 | 57¾ | −⅛
Gen Mot 5 pf.. 2 | 122½ | 122½ | 122½ | −1
Gen Mot 3¾ pf 3 | 97 | 97 | 97 | −1
Gen Out Advt.. 2 | 15 | 15 | 15 | ....
Gen Port Cem.. 2 | 18¾ | 18¾ | 18¾ | + ⅛
Gen Prec Eq.. 9 | 15¼ | 14¾ | 15¼ | + ⅛
Gen Pub Svc.... 1 | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ | ....
Gen Pub Util.. 55 | 12¼ | 12¼ | 12¼ | ....
Gen Ry Signal 4 | 22 | 22 | 22 | +1⅛
Gen Real & Ut 14 | 4¾ | 4¾ | 4¾ | ....
Gen Refract.. 2 | 27½ | 27½ | 27½ | ....
Gen Shoe..... 1 | 30¾ | 30¾ | 30¾ | ....
Gen Tel ..... 1 | 28 | 28 | 28 | ....
Gen Tel pf "A" 66 | 137½ | 137½ | 137½ | + ½
Gen Tel pf "B" 1 | 105 | 105 | 105 | ....
Gen Time Inst 2 | 23½ | 23¼ | 23¼ | −⅛
Gen T & Rub 26 | 25¾ | 23¾ | 25½ | +1⅛
Gillette Saf R 23 | 32½ | 31¾ | 32⅛ | + ⅛
Gimbel Bros.... 13 | 31¼ | 31 | 31¼ | ....
Gimbel Bros pf 1 | 89 | 89 | 89 | −1
Glidden Co.... 4 | 24¾ | 24½ | 24½ | −⅛
Goebel Brew.. 8 | 6 | 5¾ | 6 | + ⅛
Goodall-Sanf.. 7 | 24¾ | 23½ | 24¾ | + ⅛
Goodrich (B F) 21 | 56½ | 55½ | 56 | −⅛
Goodrich BF pf 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | +1
Goodyear T&R 36 | 45¼ | 43¾ | 45 | +1⅜
Goodyr T&R pf 1 | 98¾ | 98¾ | 98¾ | ....
Goth Hosiery.. 3 | 19¼ | 19¼ | 19¼ | + ⅛
Graham-P Moi 18 | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ | ....
Granby C Min.. 2 | 8 | 8 | 8 | ....
Granite City S 2 | 19 | 19 | 19 | ....
Grant (W T).. 3 | 25¼ | 25¼ | 25¼ | ....
Grayson-Robin.. 10 | 10¼ | 10 | 10¼ | + ⅛
Gt N Ir Ore ct 16 | 13 | 12⅞ | 12⅞ | + ⅛
Gt Nor Ry pf.. 18 | 38¾ | 37¾ | 38¼ | + ⅛
Gt West Sug.. 17 | 21 | 20¾ | 20¾ | ....
Green (H L).. 6 | 31 | 30½ | 30½ | −⅛
Greenf T&D.... 4 | 15¾ | 15¼ | 15¾ | + ⅛
Greyhound Cor 43 | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ | ....
Grum Airc En 7 | 30¾ | 30 | 30 | ....
Guantan. Sug.. 1 | 7¼ | 7¼ | 7¼ | ....
Gulf Mob&Oh.. 68 | 13¾ | 13 | 13¾ | + ⅛
Gulf M&Oh pf 13 | 50½ | 49 | 50½ | +1½
Gulf Oil ..... 22 | 72¼ | 71¾ | 72¼ | + ⅛
Gulf Sta Ut.... 2

Life Insurance To Set Peak of 190.5 Billion

Life insurance in force in all United States legal reserve companies will hit a record high of $190,500,000,000 at the year end, Bruce E. Shepherd, manager of the Life Insurance Association of America, predicted yesterday. This would represent a gain of 9 per cent over a year ago.

Shepherd broke down the total into $125,600,000,000 ordinary insurance, $31,600,000,000 industrial, and $33,300,000,000 group.

He figured new life insurance purchases for 1947 at $23,400,000,000, payments to policyholders and beneficiaries at three billion dollars, and total assets of all United States life companies at $51,500,000,000.

Noting a change in the trend of investments held by insurance concerns, Shepherd said:

"In response to the postwar capital needs of corporate enterprises, the United States life companies have expanded investments in corporate securities about 45 per cent in the two years 1946-47.

"As a result, the percentage of their assets so invested has risen from a postwar low point of 24.8 per cent at the end of 1945 to a level which will approximate 31.2 per cent at the end of 1947.

"Obligations of the United States Government are the only class of life insurance company investments which have decreased during the current year and this is the first annual downtrend in the dollar value of such investments since 1930. Federal securities held by life companies will total approximately $20,225,000,000 at the end of 1947, about $1,414,000,000 below their record volume at the end of last year."

Service to Germany

New York, Dec. 17 (AP).—Harry C. Ingles, president of RCA Communications, Inc., said today that radiotelegraph service has been restored between the United States and all parts of Germany and holiday messages may be sent to the four occupation zones.

Petroleum Firm Sold

Chicago, Dec. 17 (AP).—Sale of the majority of the stock of Root Petroleum Co. of Shreveport, La., to the Pan American Petroleum Corp. of New Orleans, La., was announced today by the two companies.

Business Outlook

Wall St. Seeks New Investors As Taxes Push Old Crop Out

By J. A. Livingston

THE FIRST requirement for successful investing in common stocks is not, as so many persons are apt to believe, the possession of an analytical mind, or the development of a prophetic sixth sense, or even having contact with Mike Meehan, Ben Smith, Bernard Baruch or some other speculative or investment genius. Far more important has been the acquisition of more money than you knew what to do with. Or, at least, it used to be that way.

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Customarily, the common-stock buyer has been the man or woman who ranks well up in the middle income brackets. The higher the bracket the greater the tendency to invest in common stocks. And that, laments Wall Street these days, is the trouble with the stock market. These upper bracketeers aren't buying stocks the way they used to. They can't. After the Treasury gets through taxing, there's not much left over for common stocks.

The law of diminishing income returns is hard at work. In 1943 there were three times as many persons with incomes of $25,000 a year and higher as in 1916. But their combined take-home after taxes was 20 per cent less, as the following table shows:

Year	No. of persons aggregate Reporting $25,000 Income before taxes	net income After taxes (billions)
1916	41,000	$3.2
1925	91,000	5.1
1929	103,000	7.3
1943*	119,000	2.6

*Latest comparable figure.

ANOTHER WAY of putting it is that in 1916 the average take-home of persons in the $25,000-a-year-and-up income brackets amounted to $80,000. By 1929, this had dropped to $71,000. By 1943, it was down to $22,000. These high income recipients are by no means impoverished, but they're being squeezed. They've built up a standard of living most of us dream about. And they try, in the face of high tax rates and rising prices, to maintain that standard of living—even as you and I try to maintain ours. Result: Less leftover, after living costs, for stocks.

Sociologically, this suggests a more equitable distribution of goods and services. Economically, it raises a fundamental question: How is business to raise new money?

The National City Bank recently observed that the "individual investor has come close to disappearing as a source of new capital for private business. Estimates of the Securities and Exchange Commission indicate that individuals in all of 1946 added nothing, net, to their holdings of corporate stocks and bonds. The same is true for the first half of 1947."

As a consequence, corporations have turned increasingly to insurance companies, savings banks, foundations, university endowment funds, and commercial banks for new financing. Well-intrenched companies, finding the stock market not quite right for equity financing, go to the banks for increased working capital, expecting to arrange permanent financing later. But the market doesn't ever get quite right. So the loans don't get paid off.

NEXT YEAR may bring some relief. It's an even-money bet that Congress will permit husbands and wives to split incomes—as in the community property States. Such action will be a special boon to higher-salaried men and women, who customarily are large common-stock buyers. It won't mean much to persons whose income is derived in large part from investments. As a rule, they establish a "community-property-marital" state by carrying securities in one another's names, thus splitting income.

Congress may also reduce surtaxes in the middle-income brackets somewhat. But the days of high percentage taxe-homes, as in 1916, 1925, and 1929, are gone. So a new source of equity money may have to be uncovered.

Maybe investment bankers and brokers will turn to the lower-income groups. Perhaps society—namely, the investment fraternity—will develop an investment bank in which people put their savings—not for a fixed return but for speculative profit. It would be a cousin of the investment trust. Instead of buying securities already floated, it would advance funds to companies seeking new money.

In a country which spends almost 200 million dollars a year on race-tracks admissions and parimutuel machines, that would seem like a venture that ought to succeed. Or have we lost ous guts for investment risk-taking?

Registration Stymied in Macon County

Tuskegee, Ala., Dec. 17 (AP).—The legal machinery for registration of voters in Macon County, where Negroes outnumber whites 4 to 1, has been paralyzed for 18 months.

No registration board has existed in the county—seat of Tuskegee Institute—since the last two members resigned in June, 1946, and no one, regardless of race, has qualified as a voter. Those registered previously still have their ballot.

Spokesmen for both races blame the breakdown on a Negro's $5000 damage suit against two former registrars. The suit charged that William P. Mitchell of Tuskegee was denied the right to vote in 1945 soley because of his race. Although the suit was dismissed recently after disclosure that Mitchell previously had been registered but never notified of it, Negro leaders say others may be filed.

College Men Ask Vote

Negroes, many of them with college degrees, are demanding the franchise. Of the 22,000 Negroes who make up 81 per cent of the county's population only a few are registered, between 100 and 300.

The ratio of white voters is much higher, approximately 2200 out of a population of 5000.

Former State Representative Henry Neill Segrest, a member of Tuskegee Institute board of trustees, said "several" white persons, mostly veterans, had protested to him over inability to get voting certificates. He disagrees sharply with Probate Judge William Varner, who said:

"If we had an open registration, every Negro at the institute and everyone who works at the Veterans Hospital would come down here, along with a few others who live out of the county."

The college has an enrollment of 2700 and the hospital, located a few miles away, employs about 800.

Segrest said, "I don't believe you would see more than 300 applications from Negroes in a week."

Tuskegee "Not Involved"

Judge Varner said the demand for Negro registration is "nothing but a scheme of those Negroes at the institute," but Dr. F. D. Patterson, president of the school, insists that Tuskegee has nothing to do with it.

Gov. Jim Folsom told the Associated Press he had offered an appointment as registrar to "several persons" but all had declined. Asked if they mentioned the court suit as a reason, the Governor replied:

"That's what they told me."

S. W. Tally of near Tuskegee, one of the last members to serve on the Macon County registration board, acknowledged the court litigation "could have been one thing," accounting for his resignation.

G. A. Smith, who resigned within a few days of Tally in June, 1946, termed the issue a "hot potato" and said "folks down here just don't like the job."

"I was in favor of letting some Negroes register if they were qualified," the 77-year-old carpenter-contractor continued, "but I wouldn't sign a certificate for mass registration and never will."

Tuskegee President Patterson declared he was "staying out of it because of the institute," but observed:

"It would take 25 years for Negroes to learn to use the ballot after they get it. The white pople do not use it fully, so I see no reason to assume the Negroes would."

Tibet Closes Frontier as Stars Frown

A policeman planted in the nurses quarters at Garfield Hospital yesterday seized a suspect in the recent series of thefts there.

Pvt. Delbert D. Brill arrested Hunter Lawson, 20, of 1419 Chapin st. nw., and reported he recovered jewelry and clothing stolen from nurses' rooms.

Picked up on the hospital grounds at 7:30 a. m., Lawson was charged with housebreaking.

A truck with $450 in groceries was recovered after thieves had failed to force it open. Stolen from the garage of Standard Brands, Inc., 1456 Oakie st. ne., the vehicle was found in the 100 block of Bates st. nw. The cab windows were smashed but the groceries, securely locked in the truck body, were untouched.

Clothes and household utensils valued at $180 were stolen from a car parked near the Ford Hotel, 25 E st. nw., George R. Brunjes, Norwalk, Conn., reported.

Soon after Robert Robertson, 48, Vienna, Va., reported he was rolled of $21 in a bar, police arrested a 31-year-old man and recovered $17. Emory Hart, 3170 Westover dr. se., told police jewelry valued at $70 and nonnegatiable bonds of $1000 face value were looted from a second-floor dresser drawer at his home.

A $500 diamond ring was reported stolen from the home of Mrs. Mary Schlatter, 3118 Newton st. ne. Mrs. Mildred Nesmith, 50, of 1727 Shipherd st. nw., complained her purse containing $10 was snatched from her arm while she was walking near her home.

Robert Hamilton, 22, of Hillandale, Mn., said he was yoked and robbed of his wallet by two men who dragged him into an alley in the 2000 block of 14th st. nw. A cash register valued at $100 and its $23 contents, were stolen from the Varsity Shop, 504 21st st. nw., James Jacobs, proprietor, reported.

Alvin Bechkam, 314 2d st. ne. of the District Highway Department, reported theft of a traffic counting machine which had been chained to a tree in the 2600 block of Virginia ave. nw. It was valued at $43.45.

H. A. Cooking, 2331 Cathedral ave. nw.; Dr. Joseph Goldstein, 1673 Columbia rd. nw.; William Sanderson, 3500 14th st. nw., and Samuel Massie, 5143 Sheriff rd. ne., reported their automobiles stolen.

Va. Reminds Telegraphers Of Strike Law

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Governor Tuck's office has reminded Virginia employes of the Western Union Telegraph Co. that they are engaged in communications, which is among the services enumerated in the State's Public Utility Labor Relations Act and has expressed hope that there would be no interruption of service in Virginia in event of a strike set for December 23 by 50,000 AFL employes of the company.

The governor's office said the chief executive has been watching developments in the Western Union negotiations "very closely."

Despite strike plans of the national union, some local leaders have indicated they don't believe Virginia Western Union employes can quit work in defiance of State law.

Under the Virginia statute two conferences between unions and employers must be held and if agreement cannot be reached in either of these a five-week "cooling-off" period is necessary before a strike can become effective.

During the nation-wide telephone strike earlier this year employes of the company in Virginia continued to work and no strike developed generally in the Commonwealth.

Crimson Flood

Cambridge, Mass. (U.P.).—Some 500 Harvard students earned $13,150 last year as professional blood donors.

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New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 17 (AP).—Cotton futures closed 65 cents to $1.25 a bale lower today. The market was firm in initial dealings on mill buying, but thereafter felt persistent pressure of New Orleans and commission house liquidation, which gathered momentum towards the close.

Some of the selling was of a year-end tax nature and realising sales were also encouraged by the confusion over Washington developments on commodities and the uncertainty over the cotton export situation. Offerings were absorbed principally through mill buying against textile sales, but trade support was not aggressive due to the approaching holiday lull in the textile industry.

	Open	High	Low	Last	
March	36.17	36.21	35.91	35.95	—17
May	35.83	35.86	35.57	35.62	—17
October	31.70	31.72	31.43	31.43	—25
December	31.00	31.00	30.83	30.77†	—18
March	30.52	30.52	30.50	30.50c	—16

Middling spot 36.76†, off 17.
†Nominal; ‡bid.

D. C. Securities

Yesterday's quotations on Washington Stock Exchange:

Sales—After Call
Pot. Elec. Pwr. com. w. d.—45 at 13⅜, 5 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 100 at 13⅝, 55 at 13⅝.
Cap. Transit Co.—100 at 14¾, 10 at 14¾.
Wash. Gas 4.50 pfd.—10 at 104.
Pot. Elec. Pwr. com. w. d.—195 at 13½.
Amer. Sec. & Trust Co.—10 at 290.
Woodward & Lothrop com.—50 at 41¾.

BONDS	Bid	Asked
Public Utility		
Am T&T cv deb 2⅝s, '57 w I	106½	107½
Am T&T conv deb 2¾s, 1961	102¼	103¼
Cap Tran 1st Ref 4s, 1964	90	93½
City & Sub 3s, 1948	101	
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s, 1961	118	
Pot Elec Pwr 3½s, 1966	108	
Pot Elec Pwr 3½s, 1977		
Washington Gas 3s, 1960	119	
Miscellaneous		
Ter Rit&W Cp 1st 4½s, 1948	100	101
STOCKS		
Public Utility		
*Amer Tel & Tel (9)	150½	
*Capital Transit (2.00)	14½	15½
N & W Steamboat (14)	160	
*Pot Elec Pwr com (.90)	13¾	14½
Pot Elec Pwr com w d (.90)	13½	14
*Pot El P 3.60% pf A (1.80)	45	46
*Pot El P 3.60% pf B (1.80)	45¼	46
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	20	21
Wash G Lt cum pf (4.25)	99	102
Wash G Lt cum conv pf (4.50)	103	
National Banks		
*Capital (.90)	32	35
Liberty (6)	300	
Lincoln (†5)	330	
Riggs (12)	325	340
Washington (6)	185	
Trust Companies		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (10)	280	305
Natl Sav Tr (8.00)	390	
*Prince Geo Bk&Tr (†1.00)	29½	
*Union Trust Co (†1.00)	35	40
Wash Loan & Tr (12)	330	340
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (†1.00)	45	
*Com & Savings (†10)	350	
Fire Insurance		
American (†6)	150	
Firemen's (1.40)	31	
National Union (.75)	16	
Title Insurance		
*Columbia (†30)	13½	15½
*Real Estate (†6)	185	
Miscellaneous		
*Carpel Corp (2.00)	33	
*Garfinckel com (1.50)	17½	19
*Garfkl 5½% cu cv pf (1.375)	24½	26
*Garfkl 4½% cu cv pf (1.125)	20	21½
Hecht Co (†1.60)	34½	36
Hecht 3¾% cum pf (3.75)	89	93
Lanston Mono (2.00)	20½	21½
*Mergenthaler Lino (a3.00)	53	58
Natl Mtge&Inv pf (p.45)	7½	
*Peoples Drug (†1.60)	44½	
Security Storage (†5)	107	
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	48	
*Wdwd & Loth com (†2.00)	41¼	43
*Wdwd & Loth pf (7)	105	

*Ex-dividend. †Plus extra or extras. (a) Paid so far this year. (p) Paid 1947. (wi) When issued. (wd) When distributed. (x) Plus stock dividend.

Dividend Actions

New York, Dec. 17 (AP).—Dividends declared:

Year End	Rate.	Pe- riod.	Stk. of record.	Pay- able.
Crown Cork & Seal Increased	50c	..	12-30	1-16
Amer Book Accumulated	$1.00	..	1-19	2- 2
Niagara Hud P 1st pf	$3.75	..	1-19	2- 2
Niagara H P 2nd pf	$10.00	..	1-19	2- 2
Stock				
Sun Oil Resumed	10%	..	12-30	1-30
Middle St Pete B	25c	..	1- 2	1-14
Panhand Prod & Ref Arrears	15c	..	1-15	1-19
Petrol & Trad A Initial	80c	..	12-19	12-26
Gulf Mobile & Oh RR	50c	..	12-26	1-15
Prentice Hall new Regular	25c	..	12-19	12-24
Arundel Corp	25c	Q	12-22	12-29
Colonial Mills	25c	Q	1- 5	1-16
Corroon & Reyn pf A	25c	Q	12-23	1- 2
De Pinna A	05c	..	12-24	1- 2
Mich Sti Tube Prod	15c	..	12-29	1-14
Middle States Pete A	$1.20	..	1- 2	1-14
Morris Plan Corp Am	15c	..	12-26	1-30
Niagara H Pwr 1st pf	$1.25	Q	1-19	2- 2
Syverson & Haynes	15c	..	1- 7	1-16
St Croix Paper	$1.50	Q	1- 5	1-15
Young J S	$1.50	Q	12-19	1- 2
Air Reduction	25c	Q	12-30	1-26
Gen Bronze	20c	..	12-27	12-31
Helena Rubin A	25c	Q	12-22	1- 2
Kendall Refining	35c	..	12-22	1- 2
Nat Lock	30c	Q	1- 5	1-15
Nat Manufac & Stra	60c	..	12-31	1-15
Nat Shirt Shops Del	30c	Q	12-24	1-15
Nat Tank	25c	..	1-15	1-31
Phila Natl Bank	$1.25	Q	12-18	1- 2
Philip Morris	37½c	Q	12-30	1-15

Naval Stores

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 17 (AP).—TURPENTINE—64½; offerings, 350; sales, 160; receipts, 74; shipments, 103; stocks, 9875.
Quote: B, 6.30; D, 7.75; K, 8.00; F, G, H and I, 8.50; K and M, 8.56; N, 8.64; WG, 9.30, WW and X, 9.35.

General Groves Is Nominated for Three-Star Rank

Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, who heads the military's atomic activities, was nominated by President Truman yesterday for the three-star rank of lieutenant general.

Mr. Truman sent Groves' promotion to the Senate for its approval.

Groves, who supervised the original atom bomb project as chief of the former Manhattan Engineer District, now holds two important posts in the atomic energy set-up.

He is a member of the military liaison committee of the Atomic Energy Commission—the group which gives the uniformed services their contact with the all-civilian commission—and head of the armed forces special weapons project. This latter organization is cloaked in secrecy but is known to include nuclear fission in its studies and research.

Groves, now 51, was a brigadier general when the late President Roosevelt designated him to take over direction of the A-bomb project in 1942. He was promoted to two-star rank at about the time of the first test blast in 1945.

Subsidies Favored By CIO for Ship Owners, Builders

The CIO yesterday called for "fair subsidies" to ship owners and shipbuilders and an embargo on steel exports if necessary to build up the United States merchant marine.

Philip Murray, CIO president, told a news conference this country's merchant fleet has become "fifth rate," lagging behind Great Britain, Sweden, Denmark and Russia. It now has, he said, only 1500 vessels, while another 1500 were rusting in ports and 270,000 seamen and shipyard workers were idle.

Joseph Curran, president of the National Maritime Union, said these conditions existed although "the United States has one of the longest coastlines in the world and is doing the biggest business in the world." Murray added that if the Marshall Plan was carried through, 70 per cent of the goods moved from this country would be carried in foreign ships.

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Legal Notices 4

DAVID I. ABSE, Attorney, 710 14th St. N.W., Wash. 5, D. C. REpublic 2008.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Sarah B. Drift Bryan, plaintiff, vs. Raymond L. Bryan, alias dictus; Raymond L. Kircher, defendant. No. 4472-47. The object of this suit is for absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion for more than two years. On motion of the plaintiff, it is this 28th day of November, 1947, ordered that the defendant, Raymond L. Bryan, alias dictus; Raymond L. Kircher, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after this day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, that a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post before said day. DAVID A. PINE, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) HARRY M. HULL, Clerk. By ELLA McDONALD, Deputy Clerk. Dec. 3,10,17

PAUL J. SEDGWICK, Attorney for Plaintiff, Barr Building, City.

Filed December 1, 1947—Harry M. Hull, Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. In re application of Gertrude Elizabeth Mary Szamatula, for change of name. Civil Action No. 4822-47. Gertrude Elizabeth Szamatula having filed a complaint for a judgment changing her name to Gertrude Elizabeth Mary Sands and having applied to the court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is, by the Court, this 1st day of December, 1947, ordered that all persons concerned show cause, if any there be, on or before the 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1947, why the prayers of said complaint should not be granted. Provided that a copy of this order be published once a week in The Washington Post and the Washington Law Reporter. BOLITHA J. LAWS, Chief Justice. A true copy. Test: HARRY M. HULL, Clerk. By (Seal) EDITH M. FOX, Deputy Clerk. Dec.3,10,17

MICHAEL M. DOYLE AND THOMAS A. FARRELL, Attorneys, Southern Building

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Catherine Maria Sheehan, deceased. No. 69393. Administration Docket 146. Application having been made herein for probate of the will and testament of said deceased, and for letters of administration, c. t. a., on said estate, by Mary A. Woods, it is ordered that 28th day of November, A. D. 1947, that James Patrick Fenton, Dennis Patrick Fenton, Irene G. Schneider, Regina H. Rosentreter, Joseph E. Stout, Jr., and the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of Catherine Marie Sheehan, deceased, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on TUESDAY, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1948, at 10 o'clock a. m. to show cause why said application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable Bolitha J. Laws, Chief Justice of said Court, this 28th day of November, A. D. 1947. Attest: (Seal.) ELLA A. BROWN, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.3,10,17

Official Notices 5

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, December 15, 1947. A public hearing having been held by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia in the matter of closing certain street areas and public alleys in the District of Columbia, as hereinafter described, and, as the said Commissioners are of the opinion that the street areas and alleys referred to should be closed, notice is hereby given that under date of December 2, 1947, they have prescribed the following order: "Ordered, that pursuant to the provisions of Public Act No. 307, approved December 1, 1933, the street and alley areas as shown in green on plats filed in the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia and numbered as Maps 3338, 3339, 3340, 3341, 3342 and 3343, be and are hereby CLOSED; same to take effect on and after JANUARY 5, 1948; the title to the land comprised in said areas so closed to revert to the abutting property owners as shown on said maps; the said closings to take effect jointly or separately by subsequent order or orders on the effective date aforesaid, according to the official plats described as Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, as follows: (1) closing all public alleys in Square 3777; (2) closing of a part of 24th Street, north of Irving Street SE., abutting Squares 5842 and 5844; (3) closing of 33d Place, between Loud Place and Massachusetts Avenue SE.; (4) closing of part of 1st Place NE., abutting Squares 3538 and E-3538, and part of R Street NE., east of Lincoln Road, abutting Square 3538, and the public alley in Square 3536, abutting Lots 13 to 31, inclusive; (5) closing of a part of the public alley in Square 140, abutting Lots 17, 833 and 65, and (6) closing of Bass Place SE., between 49th and 50th Streets, abutting Squares 5334 and 5335." Any and all parties interested must file objections, if any, in writing, as to any item or to these closings, or as to any item or items providing for the closings listed above before JANUARY 8, 1948; otherwise the closings shall become effective on and after that date, in accordance with the provisions of Public Act No. 307, approved December 15, 1932. JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG, GUY MASON, GORDON R. YOUNG, Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Dec.16, 17,18,19,20,22,23,24,26,27,29,30,31.

Bids and Proposals 6

PUBLIC ROADS ADMINISTRATION, Federal Works Agency, December 12, 1947. SEALED BIDS will be received at the office of the Division Engineer, Public Roads Administration, 1440 Columbia Pike, Arlington, Virginia, until 10:00 a. m., E.S.T., December 29, 1947, for the placing of about 700,000 lbs. of Reinforcing Steel in the Shops Building and Heating Plant, Public Roads Research Station, Langley, Fairfax County, Virginia. Minimum wage rates have been fixed as required by law. For specifications and bidding forms, address the Division Engineer. Deposit of $10.00 cash or certified check made payable to the Treasurer of the United States will be required to insure their return within 15 days after the opening of bids. Specifications and bidding forms may be obtained at the address given above. H. J. SEARLMAN, Division Engineer. Dec.17,18,19.

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., Washington, D. C., December 11, 1947. Sealed proposals will be received in Room 509, District Building, until 2:00 P. M., EST, January 9, 1948, and then publicly opened and read for Furnishing and Installing 891 linear feet of 20" nominal diameter and 7,839 linear feet of 20" nominal diameter watermains from 4th and B Streets, N.E., to Potomac and Kentucky Avenues, S.E. Specifications, plans and proposals may be obtained in Room 427, District Building. Request for same must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of $10.00, made payable to the Collector of Taxes, D. C., to insure their return in good condition. J. R. YOUNG, G. MASON, G. R. YOUNG, Commissioners, D. C. Dec.11,12,13,15,16,17

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RING—Lady's birthstone, blue zircon, Nov. 29; reward. Call EM. 0604.

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WALLET, lost Sunday, Dec. 14, between 6-7 p. m. 1600 block 16th nw.; reward. AD. 9776.

WALLET—Light tan calfskin, probably lost in cab Monday eve.; ident., Polly Cole. Rew. NA. 3575; eves., HO. 4800.

WATCH, Hamilton, lady's, yellow gold, lost between Hotel Annapolis and Redskins' game, Sunday, Dec. 14. PLEASE! Reward. Di. 0688.

WRIST WATCH, lady's yellow gold; Fairfax; gold stretch band; Mon. morning; sentimental value; reward. LU. 4979.

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7TH,

Apartments Wanted 48

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YOUNG COLD for outdoor camping. AAC engr., wife and infant son, desperately need 2-bedroom apt., furn. or unfurn.; preference if desired. Capt. Bubich, RE. 6700, ext. 3106 or AL. 2797.

UNFURN. 1 or 2 bedroom apt. in N.W. or N.E. section. Govt. to transp. By 3 employed adults. CH. 2000, ext. 271.

WILL I have to leave home so my Mommy and Daddy can have a 3-room apartment for my first Xmas? JA. 1476-R.

YOUNG refined couple, recently returned from overseas, desires small furnished apt. or housekeeping equivalent, from Jan. 1st to December; will consider short-term lease in good district. Box 630, Washington Post.

YOUNG COUPLE (wife expecting baby in July) desire 1-2 bedroom unfurn. apt., prof., N.W.; top $75 mo. RA. 9414.

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COLORED—Vet, 2-room, kit. and bath unfurn. apt.; approx. $50. DE. 6506.

COLORED VETERAN being evicted. Perm. Gov't employe urgently needs 2 bedroom apt. NO. 7452.

COLORED, family of 4, wish an apt. or house; maximum rent, Call DU. 1635.

Apts.-Houses, Exchanged 48A

ATLANTA for Wash., 3-bedrm. rental house or apt. desired Wash. for lovely 3-bdrm. home in Atlanta, Dr. Falk, EX. 6900, ext. 3074, days, or VI. 5313 eves.

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Moving and Storage 49

EX-GI—Moving, hauling, storage; will move your trunk or house; special rates to veterans. John Glover, NE. 5460.

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Houses, Furnished 50

ALEXANDRIA

Beautiful home in historic section. Large garden, river views, lovely drawing room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, dining room, kitchen. Owner occupies 2-room apt. in wing, will separate pvt. apt. if $350-per month. ED. WARD VAN DEVANTER, NA. 9620.

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Brick home, 7 rooms, 2 baths, oil heat, double garage; immediate possession; $185 per month.

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2 bedrooms, 1½ baths, $225 mo., year's lease.

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NO. 6293.

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Houses, Furnished 50

MONROE ST. NE., 1833—Very desirable 3-bedroom home, $125 mo., all utilities included. $125 mo. DU. 1324.

HOME FOR RENT (last 1 bedroom), detached modern; N. E. section; good condition; garage; small family; references required. DE. 4881.

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S.E.—2-bedroom unfurn. house, new; $100 mo. VI. 1972.

Wanted to Rent 53

AIR FORCE Lt., wife, son (3 yrs.), need 2-bedrm. house or apt. Pref. S.E. or via Andrews Field. HI. 3300, ext. 170, 6 to 8 p. m.

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FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED
Room No. 301 of Navy Yard—for perm. employee of an electronics engineering firm engaged in vital Gov't work.

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EXCELLENT care guaranteed; reliable adults, 4-bedrm. unfurn. house; pref. Va.; OV. 3711.

EXECUTIVE—Professional man, discriminating taste and requirements; 3-4-bedroom unfurn. house; restricted neighborhood; Alex. or adj.; excellent care-takers; references. OV. 0097.

FAMILY of excellent character, punctual rent, desire partly furn. 4-bdrm. house, 2 baths, maid's quarters, garage; good residential section; at least year's lease (options to extend); maximum $200 month. JA. 2371.

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PERMANENT Johns Hopkins employes need unfurnished houses and apts. Please call SH. 7700, Ext. 125.

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COLORED—Unfurnished apt., 2 bedrms., or 4-room house in D. C. EM. 3568.

COLORED—3 adults with 2 small children want 4-room house or 4-room apt. Dial RE. 0978.

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5TH ST. NW., 1634 (corner Conn. ave.). Approx. 2,000 sq. ft. on each of three floors now being redecorated; ideal for professional or business offices; ground floor also available; will lease all or part. DE. 4093.

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Office, furn. or unfurn.; also desk space, including phone and mail service; fluorescent lights, self-service elevator; stenographic, Alex. or adj.; secretarial service also available; reasonable. Call CO. 5500.

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ACCORDIONS, clarinets, saxophones, trumpets, cornets, drum sets, guitars, etc., at low prices. Mr. Decker at NA. 3223. JORDAN PIANO Co., 1015 7th st. nw.

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BABY CARRIAGE, Thayer, $20; bathinette, $10; both excellent condition. OX. 1407.

BABY bathinette, Trimalume, $10; excellent cond.; used very little. SH. 1309.

BABY CRIB and toy car (5-6 yr. size). 1820 1st. st. sw. (colored). FR. 1604.

BABY FURN.—Metal stroller, play-pen, Trimalum bathinette, electric bottle steriliser, bathinette and mattress, infant's clothes; all items purchased new and used only year. OV. 1969.

BABY FURN.—Highchair upholstered, $5. Metal stroller, $4. OR. 3049 after 10 a. m.

BABY STROLLER, wicker; good condition; $18. NO. 0782.

BARBECUE grill, new "Ranch House," outdoor; ideal for Xmas gift; $35. GL. 8930.

BED, studio type, practically new, with coil springs. AD. 7312.

BED, springs, mattress, vanity; reasonable. FA. 0736.

BED—Double, metal, (two-tone walnut, spring, $20; with mattress, $35; excellent condition. GL. 6842.

BED, rock maple, covered box spring and mattress, vanity with mirror and bench; prewar; excel. cond.; reas. TA. 6307.

BEDS (twin) and matching dresser, etc. DU. 4130.

BED-DAVENPORT (rose color), $30; Hollywood single bed (walnut), $30. GL. 2029 after 6 p. m.

BED MATTRESS and springs, all in good condition. HO. 4450.

BED, double size Rollaway (without mattress), $50. GL. 2476.

BEDROOM SET—Maple, 9 pieces, single bed, in excellent condition. OV. 1285.

BICYCLES (2) junior, (2) adult sizes; good cond; reasonable. WI. 7331.

BICYCLE, English type, girl's, 3-speed gears, like new. Bargain. WA. 6322.

BICYCLE, girl's, 26 in., balloon tires, good condition, $20. VI. 8260, ext. 673.

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BICYCLE, boy's, Dixie Flyer, new cond., $37.50. Electric train, American Flyer system, chicle, uncoupler, $22.50. SLigo 6935.

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CLOTHING, winter coat, evening skirt, dresses, sz. 14-16; shoes, 5B; very reas. 6439 Western ave. nw. OR. 1547.

COAT, gray cloth, squirrel trim, size 9, $30. EM. 9214 after 6 p. m.

COAT, green Chesterfield; good cond.; reas.; size 14. After 4:30 p.m., WA. 5756.

COAT—Brand new, red Harris Tweed, zippered in chamois lining; small 16, 34-5; black velvet boxed-collared evening wrap, $15. HO. 1166.

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FURN.—Sofa bed with Simmons innerspr., blue; cocktail table, occasional chair, blue; 3-way floor lamp. Reas. price for quick sale. LI. 3131.

FURNITURE—Liv. rm suite, sofa (rose), 2 chairs (turquoise), with slip covers; excel. cond.; 2.

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GAS RANGES—All sizes; new, used. Acme Store Co., 1011 7th nw. NA. 8052

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Fatal Wreckage of Mid-Air Plane Crash

SMASH-UP AT NORFOLK—Wreckage of Navy patrol bomber is spread over ground at Norfolk Naval Air Station after colliding in midair with a Navy fighter plane. Seven men were killed

Associated Press Photos

FIGHTER IN AIR COLLISION—Ensign J. F. Mathews of Norfolk, Va., burned to death in wreckage of this Corsair plane after colliding with bomber. Planes were coming in for landing.

Jury Fixing Attempt Gets Man 3 Years

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—Federal Judge Sterling Hutcheson today sentenced Leslie Earl Martin, 30-year-old Richmond service station attendant, to imprisonment for three years after his conviction here November 25 on a charge of attempting to influence a juror in the Fredericksburg bank case.

Defense Attorney Thomas K. Stone promptly served notice that he would appeal.

Judge Hutcheson denied a motion that Martin's $2500 bond be continued pending the outcome of the appeal, but directed that the defendant be freed under a new bond of $2500 until December 22, at which time service of sentence was to commence.

The jurist reccomended that the 3-year term be served in an institution of the reformatory type.

The offense for which Martin was sentenced led to the granting of a new trial for seven of nine persons convicted of aiding and abetting in misapplication of funds of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Fredericksburg, at a lengthy trial last spring. The seven include Hugh N. Rakes, Leesburg dairyman; Joseph E. Proffit, president of the Floyd Bank and member of the General Assembly, and Clarence L. Robey, president of the Purcellville National Bank.

Marshall Named 'Man of the Year'

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—For conceiving his European recovery plan and his "skill and resourcefulness" as Secretary of State, George C. Marshall has been judged "man of the year" by senior midshipmen at the Naval Academy.

The former Army Chief of Staff was named more often than any other notable by first classmen in recent sessions of their after-dinner speaking course. The middies discussed the person they thought had "most influenced the news" during 1947.

Their choices were varied. Secretary of Defense Forrestal was second to Marshall, and Howard Hughes came next.

Others selected were Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, jr., academy superintendent; Gen. Charles de Gaulle, Russia's V. M. Molotov and Andrei Vishinsky, Ambassador Lewis Douglas, Prime Minister Atlee, Mayor de Lesseps Morrison of New Orleans, Senator Taft and Representative Hartley, Santa Claus and James C. Petrillo.

Pigeons Holding Old Courthouse In Fredericksburg

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 17.—Anti-pigeon warfare in the old courthouse building here has been waged in vain. The pigeons still hold the upper floors.

To prevent their entering the courthouse through broken windows, the City Council had City Manager L. J. Houston, jr., install new panes two days ago.

But yesterday the pigeons were back, and the new glass was scattered over the courthouse floor.

Belvoir Sergeant, Brothers Reunited

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 17.—Sergt. Maynard L. Breeden, on holiday leave from the Army Engineering Center at Fort Belvoir, Va., dropped into a poolroom and found three brothers he hadn't seen in 10 years.

The sergeant is one of nine brothers. He returned three months ago after a tour of duty with a construction party along Hudson Bay in Canada.

May Queen Elected At Mary Washington

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 17.—Miss Lois Saunier, of Richmond, president of the Mary Washington College senior class, was elected May queen from a group of 15 contestants last night by vote of the student body of the school.

Miss Saunier, who will preside over May Day festivities, is a member of several scholastic societies, the Forensic Club and Young Women's Christian Association.

High School Newspaper Awards Made

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 17 (AP).—High school newspapers published by George Washington High of Danville, Culpeper and Fincastle won top ratings in the 1947 Virginia High School League newspaper contests, Richard R. Fletcher, league executive secretary, announced today.

Victory of George Washington's The Chatterbox in the Group 1 division came as the paper completed its twenty-fifth year of publication.

Of the Group 1 entries, six were rated "distinguished," including the 1946 winner, The High Times of E. C. Glass High in Lynchburg, and papers published by Newport News, Jefferson Senior of Roanoke, John Marshall of Richmond, Woodrow Wilson of Portsmouth and Granby of Norfolk.

Culpeper High's The Pepergram earned Group 2 honors for the second consecutive year. Listed "distinguished" in this group were Suffolk, William Fleming of Roanoke and Randolph-Henry of Charlotte Court House.

In Group 3, Fincastle High's The Trojan Messenger won over 11 other entries. The "distinguished" label went to these: Botetourt of Gloucester, Gainesboro, Lincoln of Purcellville and Bridgewater.

C. D. White Heads Club

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 17.—Clarence D. White, furniture dealer here, was elected president of the Business Men's Club for next year. Other officers elected were: William B. Byram, vice president; Fred G. Haines, secretary, and Joseph H. Ulman, treasurer.

GRIN AND BEAR IT — By Litchy

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle

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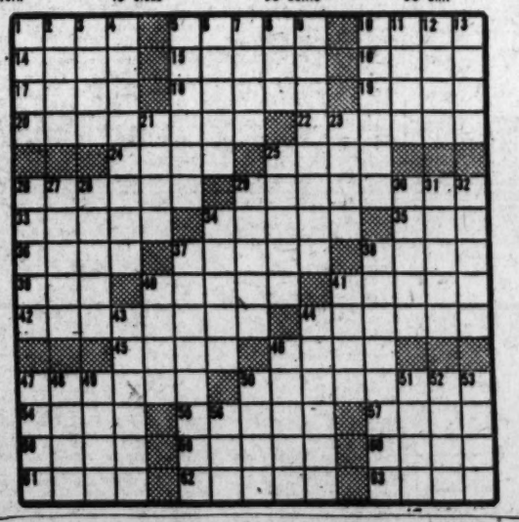

BARNABY

Hello, Barnaby. I'm having Atlas, the Mental Giant, make a slight adjustment in the robot. To help increase his perception. He's been following orders somewhat blindly—
All fixed, O'Malley—
Finished, Atlas? Excellent! We modern commanders expect a bit of initiative in our men, you know. I'll go in and get Blotto . . . And see how the drilling goes now—
Blotto, atten—SHUN!
Hey! HEY! Blotto!
Cushlamochree!
Gosh!

Today's Radio Programs

WEDNESDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

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	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30 Town Clock, 6:05-9, David Wills, 7:45.	WRC Almanac, 5:30. News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, Bill Herson, 6:05-9. Weather, 6:30.	News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, George Reedy, 8, Lew Parker, 7:15. Hunnicutt, 6-9:30.	News, 6, 7, 8, 5, The Jerry Strong Show, 6:05-9. Five-Minute Mystery, 7:55.	News, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15, Milton Q. Ford and Milt Slosser, 6-9:15. Devotions, 6:45.	Corn Squeezing, 5:30-7:30. News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30. CBS News, 8, Godfrey's Sundial, 7:45-8.
9	:00 Breakfast Club :15 Don McNeil :30 Jack Owen :45 Sam Cowling	Bill Herson News; Nancy Osgood Tips and Tunes	Hunnicutt " Spice in Life Hymn Time	News; Jerry Strong Curtain Call " "	Milton Q. Ford, Alice Lane " " Man on the Street	News, Mahoney Home Service You're The Top Winner Take All
10	:00 My True Story :15 " " "; Betty :30 Crocker's Mag. :45 Listening Post	Fred Waring " " Road of Life Joyce Jordan	Shady Valley Name in Music News; Showtunes Listeners' Ex'chge	News; Band Stand Howard Williams " " " "	Tune Inn Norman Gladney Tune Inn Norman Gladney	" " " Dr. Paul Evelyn Winters David Harum
11	:00 Breakfast in :15 Hollywood :30 Ruth Crane :45 " "	Nora Drake Katie's Daughter Jack Berch Lora Lawton	Jekyll and Hyde Betty and Bob Heart's Desire " "	News; Band Stand Howard Williams " " " "	Tune Inn Norman Gladney Tune Inn Gladney; News	Arthur Godfrey " " Grand Slam Rosemary
12	:00 News, Evans :15 Ted Malone :30 Welcome :45 Travelers	News; D. Brinkley Look to This Day Richard Harkness Nancy Osgood	Kate Smith Victor Lindlahr Highlights, News At Union Station	News Roundup Bing Crosby Luncheon With Tommy Dorsey	Tello Test Lunch at 1450 " " " Bing Crosby	Wendy Warren Aunt Jenny Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1	:00 David Wills :15 Galen Drake :30 Tommy Dorsey :45 " "	Tin Pan Ballet " " " Robert McCormick Believe It Or Not	Stranger's Song 5-Star Revue (Art Brown) " " "	News; Symphony Sibelius Symphony No. 6 " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Big Sister Ma Perkins Young Dr. Malone Guiding Light
2	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 Bride :45 and Groom	Today's Children Woman in White Hally Sloane Light of World	Queen For a Day Martin Block Art Brown " " " "	News; Joe Dosh " " " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	2nd Mrs. Burton Perry Mason Look Your Best Rose of My Dreams
3	:00 Ladies Be Seated :15 " " " :30 Paul Whiteman :45 " "	Life Can be Beaut. Ma Perkins Pepper Young Right to Happiness	" " " " " " " "	News; Joe Dosh " " " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Double or Nothing House Party " "; B'way
4	:00 " " " :15 " " " :30 News, Evans :45 It's a Hit	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Widow Brown	" " " " " " " "	Uncle Remus Swing Serenade Music Hall " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Hint Hunt " ; News Woman's World " "
5	:00 Great Adventure :15 Terry and Pirates :30 Jack Armstrong :45 " "	A Girl Marries Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	" " Superman Capt. Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall " " " " " "	Band of the Day Crooners' Battle Sports; Air Theater; Sports	March of Science " " " Lum 'n' Abner Factfinder
6	:00 News; Stardust :15 " ; Sports :30 Earl Godwin :45 Singing Sam	News; Leif Eld Dinner Music Serenade; B'gman 3-Star Extra	Congress Today Art Brown Johnson Family Sports, Brundige	News Roundup Bob Wolff, Sports Music Hall " "	Melody Lane " " Wakeman; News Berger; Supper	News, Sevareid News Spts; Gov't News Lowell Thomas
7	:00 Louise Massey :15 Elmer Davis :30 Lone Ranger :45 " "	Chesterfield Club World News Flower Time H. V. Kaltenborn	Fulton Lewis, Jr. Behind the Band Arthur Gaeth Inside of Sports	Music Hall Coal Speaks Music Hall " "	Rendezvous Peter Donald News, Austad Juke Box Revue	Beulah Jack Smith Club 15 News, Ed Murrow
8	:00 Mayor of :15 the Town :30 Vox Pop :45 " "	Dennis Day " " Great Gilder-sleeve " "	Scarlet Queen " " Quiet Please " " ; Rose	Murder at Midnite " " " Joe Dosh Show " "	Children's Hosp. United We Stand News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	American Melody Hour Dr. Christian " " ; News
9	:00 Abbott & Costello :15 " " " :30 Jack Paar :45 " "	Duffy's Tavern " " Mr. District Attorney	Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories Salvation Army Thou Bethlehem	News; Joe Dosh " " " " " "	1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Old Gold Show " " " Sweeney and March
10	:00 Bing Crosby :15 " " " :30 Henry Morgan :45 " "	The Big Story " " " Jimmy Durante " "	Manhattan Music Manhattan Music National Moondial " "	News; Symphony Schubert's Trio No. 1 " "	Basketball Game " " News; Sunset and Vine	The Whistler " " First Nighter " "
11	:00 News, K. Evans :15 Hour of Dreams :30 " " :45 " "	News; Sports World News "Lost Sheep" " "	Voice of D. C. Fulton Lewis, Jr. Sweet Music " " ; News	News Roundup Ivory Serenade Starlight Serenade " "	1450 Club U. N. Today 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	News Talks Moondial Gallaher

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

CHESTER BOWLES, chairman of the United Nations International Advisory Committee, speaks on behalf of the U. N. appeal for children at five minutes past midnight over WMAL-ABC.

Other highlights:

Florian Zabach, orchestra leader at the Mayflower Lounge, is interviewed. WRC—12:45 p. m.

Berlioz's "Harold in Italy," William Primrose, violist, with the Boston Symphony. WQQW—2 p. m.

Soprano Maria Kurenko sings two ancient Christmas carols from the Ukraine and "Allegro" from Rimsky-Korsakov's "Christmas Eve." WTOP—5 p. m.

The story of how Christopher Lynch was brought to this country from Ireland is told by Bob Knight. WOL—7:15 p. m.

Jack Benny visits Dick Haymes. WTOP—9 p. m.

Jimmy Durante and the Kraft Choral Group are guests of Al Jolson and Oscar Levant. WRC—9 p. m.

"Scherzo" from Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream" and the Catalogue Aria from Mozart's "Madamina" are included in a concert by the United States Air Force Band Concert Orchestra. (Open to the public at the Interior Department Auditorium.) WASH-FM—9 p. m.

Fourteenth Annual Regional Golden Gloves Tournament is televised WWTG—9 p. m. The tournament is also broadcast. WWDC—10 p. m.

"Song From Heaven," the story of how "Silent Night" was written is dramatized with Raymond Massey as narrator. WTOP—10 p. m.

"The First Nighter" moves to a new day and time with "A Date With Baby." WTOP—10:30 p. m.

What Makes a Liberal Education? J. S. Kiefer, president of St. John's College and Harold C. Taylor, president of Sarah Lawrence College. WTOP—11:15 p. m.

The First Piano Quartet plays a listener-request program which includes "Coronation Scene" from Mouss orgsky's "Boris Godounov," Weber's "Perpetual Motion" and Chopin's "Nocturne in E flat." WRC—11:30 p. m.

WQQW 570

7:00 Dreamhouse Symphony
8:00 Moring Serenade
8:15 Good Morning
9:00 Music Room
9:30 Capital Shoppers
9:45 Answers for Women
10:00 Morning Symphony
11:00 Variety Hall
11:15 Fun With Music
11:30 Three-Quarter Time
11:45 Folk Music
Noon On the Avenue
12:45 Words with Music
1:00 Variety Hall
1:15 In Hollywood
1:30 Hits of Today
1:45 Hits of Yesterday
2:00 Brahms' Symph. No. 2
3:00 Variety Hall
3:15 Keyboard Contrasts
3:30 Judging the Discs
3:45 South American Way
4:00 Music Quiz
4:15 Pops Concerts

News 5 minutes before each hour and Sports at 4:40.

FM

WINX-FM (Channel 242) 96.3
Duplicates WINX 9 a. m. to 11:15 p. m., except "Dinner Concert" at 6:30, "Stars in Recital" at 7:30.

WRC-FM (Channel 230) 93.9
News and music from 3 to 9 p.m.

WPIK-FM (Channel 252) 98.3
Duplicates WPIK. Additional music until 10.

WGAY-FM (Channel 272) 102.3
Duplicates WGAY. Additional music until 9 p. m.

WWDC-FM (Channel 266) 101.1
Duplicates WWDC except for Concert Echoes, 8:35, and One-Oh-One Club, 9.

WASH-FM (Channel 255) 98.9
Operates 3:55-11:07 p. m., with recorded music except for Home Counsel, 4, news, 4:15, 7:45, 10:30. This Day, 5. Children's Story, 5:15. Free Fun, 5:40. U. S. Army Band, 8. Weather, 3:55, 7:55, 11:05. Sports, 11.

WPIK 730	WARL 780	WGAY 1050	WBCC 1120	WEAM 1390	WOOK 1590
The Early Birds, Bob Mc-Bride and Leonard Friendly, 7:15 to 9. News, 8, 8:30.	Eye Opener, 5. Let's Be Gay, 6:45. Community Calendar, 8:30. Church, 8:45. School News, 7:30.	Dave's Corner, 7:15. Girl Disc Jockey, except for news at 7:30 and 7:55.	Prayer, 7:15. Rural Route 1120, 7:20. News, 7:45, 8:15. Stella Werner, 7:50. Morning in Maryland, 8. Story, 8:30.	Lamb's Gambols, 7:15-9, except for News at 7:30, 8, 8:30.	Top o' the Morning, 6-9, except for Assurance for the Day, Crawford, 8. Daily Viewpoint, 8:30. News, 8:45.
9:00—Early Birds 9:15— McBride-Friendly 9:30— " " 9:45— " "	Musical Roundup.	Homemaker's Gift Shop. (Grace Hanley) (Ernie Tannen)	Kay Todd Waltzes; News Little Symphony	Matthew Warren News Matthew Warren	News; Top o' the Morning On the Record " "
10:00—News; Devotions 10:15—Alex. T.S.Asa'n. 10:30—Hillbilly Hits 10:45— " "	News Music You Like	News; Stars on Review	Buddy Clark ; News Xmas in Many Lands Say It With Music	Waltz Time Rev. Frank Snyder News; Sophisticated Rhythm	News; Holiday House " " " ; News
11:00— " " 11:15— " " 11:30—Dining with 11:45— Diane	Greetings Girls " " News Keyboard Kapers	South of the Border Local Ministers Morning Pastels	News; Woman's Angle School Days Chapel	Swing Class " " News; Singing Stars	Kiddie Korner Cherches La Femme Inside Story
12:00—News; Luncheon 12:15— " Melodies 12:30—Mystery Tunes 12:45—Jimmy Dorsey	Tiny Tots Tales. Story Teller At the Console Novelties	" " Holiday House Community Report McCalla	Piano Music Paul Shinkman By Special Arrgement.	Jean Arden WEAM Barn Dance News; Prairie Polecats	Music; Social Secur'ty Richard Eaton " "
1:00—Eddy Howard 1:15— " " 1:30—Weston's Orch. 1:45—Local News	Town and Country Time " " " "	Keyboard Artistry Dance Parade Sports Circus	Courts and Fairways Lunch With Hoffman Farm Facts	Carnival of Music " "	Music Just for You " "
2:00—Tea and Tempest 2:15— " " 2:30—Harry James 2:45— "	Sunset and Vine " " Western Hit Parade	" " " " " "	Spurs and Guitars Footlight Music Red Cross	News; Carnival Musical Quiz " "	News; Sports Drifting on a Cloud " "
3:00—Melody Matinee 3:15— " " 3:30— " " 3:45— " "	News The Greatest Gift " "	" " " " " "	Questions on News Marines Today Cavalcade of Music	1390 Club " " News; 1390 Club	Les Williams' Variety Show " " " "
4:00—News; Sports 4:15—Piano Moods 4:30—At Sundown	Cumming's Corner " " Ted Alexander " "	" " " " " "	News; Afternoon Symphony Children's Story News; Rhythms	" " News; Bing Crosby " "	House Jack Built " " News; House Jack Built
	Tuneful Twosome Ted Alexander " "	" " " " " "	Afternoon Rhythms Sports; News	Penthouse Party " " News; Penthouse	News; Music

National Weather Summary

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PREVIEW of U.S. WEATHER BUREAU, DEPT. of COMMERCE FORECAST··· PERIOD ENDING 7:30 P.M. EST 12-18-47

Forecast

District of Columbia and vicinity—Mostly sunny and a little warmer. High in upper 40s; low, 28 in city, 20 in suburbs. Yesterday—High, 44 at 2:13 p. m.; low, 30 at 6:16 a. m.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1947, 303 degrees. Excess. since December 1, 4 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1947, 4.11 inches. Deficiency since December 1, 1947, .60 inch.

Temperature same date last year—High 39, low 29.

Sun, Moon, Tides, River

Sun rises 7:23 a. m., sets 4:48 p. m. Moon rises 11:41 a. m., sets 10:35 p. m. Tides—High 11:47 a. m., low 5:23 a. m. and 6:39 p. m. (Coast and Geodetic Survey). Potomac River clear at Great Falls (U. S. Engineers).

Temperatures	High	Low	Rain
Abilene, Tex.	56	32	....
Albany, N. Y.	34	25	....
Albuq'e, N. Mex.	48	26	....
Asheville, N. C.	47	29	....
Atlanta, Ga.	49	29	....
Atl. City, N. J.	41	28	....
Baltimore, Md.	43	30	....
Billings, Mont.	43	24	....
Birming'm, Ala.	50	34	....
Bismarck, N. D.	19	3	....
Boise, Idaho	45	35	.03
Boston, Mass.	38	27	....
Brownsville, Tex.	66	51	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	34	22	.01
Burlington, Vt.	30	22	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	47	28	....
Chicago, Ill.	40	18	....
Cleveland, Ohio	36	18	....
Columbus, Ohio	38	17	....
Denver, Colo.	52	20	....
Detroit, Mich.	32	19	....
El Paso, Tex.	54	26	....
Ft. Worth, Tex.	56	33	....
Galveston, Tex.	60	44	....
Harrisburg, Pa.	36	23	....
Huron, S. Dak.	32	5	....
Indian'olis, Ind.	35	9	....
Jackson, Miss.	55	27	....
Kansas City, Mo.	40	24	.01
Little Rock, Ark.	50	30	....
L. Angeles, Calif.	65	52	....
Louisville, Ky.	45	19	....
Memphis, Tenn.	53	23	....
Miami, Fla.	80	68	....
Milwaukee, Wis.	33	13	....
M.-St. P., Minn.	22	4	....
Montgom'y, Ala.	46	32	....
Nashville, Tenn.	51	21	....
N. Orleans, La.	70	40	....
New York, N. Y.	36	30	....
Okla. C., Okla.	53	27	....
Omaha, Neb.	44	24	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	38	28	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	68	29	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	35	18	....
Portland, Me.	34	23	....
Portland, Oreg.	53	43	.58
Raleigh, N. C.	45	26	....
Reno, Nev.	49	30	....
Richmond, Va.	45	25	....
St. Louis, Mo.	41	22	....
S. Lake C., Utah	32	23	.01
S. Antonio, Tex.	64	33	....
S. Franc'o, Calif.	55	47	.42
Seattle, Wash.	48	43	.20
Shreveport, La.	64	29	....
Washing'n, D. C.	44	28	....
Wichita, Kans.	47	23	....
Yuma, Ariz.	68	39	....

Umstead Asks Tobacco Sent To Germany

By The Associated Press

Senator William B. Umstead (D., N. C.), proposed yesterday that the United States send 100 million pounds of tobacco to Germany "as a good investment."

This amount would assure the German tobacco industry of continuous operations for at least 12 months, he said in a statement prepared for Senate Appropriations Committee hearings on foreign aid.

He proposed the shipments come from tobacco now held by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

He said he favored the shipments because:

1. It would dispose of a substantial part of the surplus tobacco now on hand, would relieve the pressure on prices and would tend to relieve the necessity of severe cuts in marketing quotas.

"2. It would preserve a tremendous potential market for American tobacco and tobacco products which would mean much to this country when Germany has been rehabilitated and foreign trade is revived among nations.

"3. It would reestablish the tobacco industry in Germany and make some contribution toward its economic rehabilitation."

Meanwhile, the Department of Agriculture reported this year's tobacco production in the United States amounted to 2,167,702,000 pounds on 4.5 per cent less acreage than in 1946. Virginia produced 18,400,000 pounds of burley this year compared to 19,688,000 last year, while the southern Maryland belt produced 38,400,000 pounds of tobacco this year compared to 47 million last.

Lockjaw Germ Used Successfully To Treat Malaria

New York, Dec. 17 (U.P.).—A scientist from the Philippines reported tonight that the germ that causes lockjaw has been used successfully in the treatment of malaria.

The report, by Dr. Eusebio Y. Garcia, was given before the annual meeting of the New York Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Garcia said use of tetanus toxoid (lockjaw germs made inactive by chemical treatment) had cut down the number of relapses of patients with the recurrent type of malaria, plasmodium vivax.

Md. Farm Income Expected to Top 1946 Record High

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 (AP). — The Feredal Reserve Bank predicted today that total cash income of Maryland farmers this year will exceed the record $200,617,000 they pocketed last year.

A bank report said Maryland's tobacco crop this year brought $19,562,766 this year, in contrast to the $10,474,000 in 1946.

This, aided by the steady increase in other farm marketings due to rising prices in 1947, is expected to put Maryland's agricultural returns substantially above those of last year, the bank, headquarters of the Fifth Federal Reserve District, said.

GI Insurance Reinstatement Time Extended

The Veterans' Administration yesterday extended until July 31, 1948, the right of veterans to reinstate lapsed GI insurance without new physical examinations.

The privilege had been scheduled to expire December 31. It was extended because of doubt that legislation for a one-year extension through 1948 would be passed before the emergency session of Congress adjourns. The bill, passed by the House, awaits Senate action.

Bright Cleared In Ridgely Death

Federalsburg, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—Carroll F. Bright, 43-year-old assistant postmaster at Denton, today was acquitted of manslaughter charges filed against him after an automobile accident which resulted in the death December 8 of 75-year-old John B. Davis, only druggist at nearby Ridgely.

Magistrate Charles Dobson, after hearing several witnesses, ruled the accident was unavoidable and absolved bright of blame.

Davis was killed just after dark near Second st. and Central ave., one of the town's main intersections, as he was returning to his store after dinner.

Anonymous Givers To Aid Baltimore Poor

Baltimore, Dec. 17 (AP).—A small army of anonymous high school and college students will act as Santa Claus' helpers, and distribute gifts to needy homes here on Christmas Eve.

The messengers will remain unknown, as will the recipients.

The originator of the newly-formed Christmas Cheer Association is opposed to public displays at Christmas which single out the underprivileged child as "an object of charity."

The association accepts no contributions. Its address is known only to the mailman. The one requirement for membership is a pledge to give a gift privately to a needy family on Christmas Eve.

Winchester Power Off

Winchester, Va., Dec. 17 (Spl.). A large section of this city and surrounding country was without electric power for more than an hour yesterday when high tension power lines burned in four places in the city.

WFMD 930	WCHV 1240	WEPM 1340	WINC 1400
Harbaugh Bros., 6, Morning neighbor, 6:15-8, News, 7, 8, 8:30, Birthday Club, 8:10, Sacred Heart, 8:45.	News, 7, 7:25, 7:55, 8, 8:30, 8:55, Musical Clock, 6:30-8:00, Zeke Manners, 7:30, Crosby, 8:15	News, 7, 8, Stock Market, 6:55, Wake-up Tunes, 7:05 to 7:45, Devotions, 7:45, Music, 8:15.	Hill Echoes, 6:30, Market Report, 6:35, Musical Clock, 7:15, Agronsky, 8, Birthday Club, 8:15.
9:00—News; Music 9:15—Sleepy McDaniel. 9:30—Dixie Pals 9:45— " "	Breakfast Club. " " " "	News; Ray and Skipper. News Bulletin Board.	Breakfast Club. " " " "
10:00—Valley Trio 10:15—Morning Melodies 10:30—Evelyn Winters. 10:45—Morning Melodies.	Classified Column News; Magazine Of the Air. Proudly We Hail	News; Especially for Ladies. For Listening Only " "	My True Story. " "; Magazine of the Air. Dorothy Kilgallen
11:00—Arthur Godfrey. 11:15— " " 11:30—Morning Musicale 11:45— "	Tom Breneman. " " Galen Drake Ted Malone.	News, Highlights from Hollywood. Tunes at Noon. " " "	Breakfast in Hollywood Galen Drake Ted Malone.
12:00—Wendy Warren 12:15—Farm Time 12:30— " 12:45— " "; Weather	Welcome Travelers " " News; Band Music. Waltstime.	News. Tunes at Noon. Man on the Street Tunes at Noon	News; Market Report Luncheon Lyrics 10-2-4 Time Band Wagon
1:00—Familiar Hymns. 1:15— " " 1:30—Radio Playboys 1:45— " "; News.	Baukhage Talking. Masters' Music. " " Church of the Air	News; Hi Neighbor " " Love Letters Jigsaw News	Baukage Talking. Valley Varieties " "
2:00—Matinee Melodies. 2:15— " " 2:30— " 2:45—Rose of My Dreams	News, Kiernan. Nancy Craig Bride and Groom. " "	News; Bulletins Lean Back, Listen. News Bulletin Board.	News, Kiernan. Ethel and Albert. Bride and Groom. " "
3:00—Autumn Serenade 3:15— " " 3:30—House Party 3:45— " "; News	Ladies Be Seated. " " Paul Whiteman " "	News; Concert Hour. " " " "	Ladies Be Seated. " " Paul Whiteman " "
4:00—Hint Hunt 4:15— " "; News 4:30—Winner Take All 4:45— " "	Platter Parade " "	News; Ray and Skipper. Your Gov't. W. Va. Vets.	Late Record Releases Moods in Rhythm
5:00—School of the Air 5:15— " 5:30—Treasury Band. 5:45—Lum 'n' Abner	Christmas Tree Grove Terry & Pirates. Sky King " "	News; D. C. Today Dinner Melodies " "	Dick Tracy Terry and Pirates Jack Armstrong. " "
6:00—Md. News; Music 6:15—In My Opinion 6:30—Sports. Barber. 6:45—Football	News; College Topics Sammy Kaye 3 Suns and a Starlet Harry Wood Show	News. Sports Special. Old National Hour. Record Revue	News; Sports Dance Time Evening Reveries Easy Listening.
7:00—News; Music 7:15—Market Digest 7:30—Club 15 7:45—News, Murrow	Music for Dining Elmer Davis. News Decision Now. Dinah Shore.	News; Country Show Light Dinner Music South of the Border My Song	Headline Edition. Elmer Davis. World of Song Melodic Miniatures
8:00—Frederick Times 8:15—Old Corral 8:30—Bowling for Dollars 8:45—Interlude; News	Lane High Choir Singin' Sam The Clock " "	News, Vandercook. Musical Memoirs. Rotary Club Voice of the Army	Time to Dance Music for the Home Top Tunes On Wings of Melody
9:00—Dick Haymes 9:15— " 9:30—Crime Photographer 9:45— "	Willie Piper " " Darts for Dough " "	Between the Lines. Sacred Heart. Columbia Masterworks.	Willie Piper Mr. President " " Darts for Dough " "
10:00—Reader's Digest. 10:15— " 10:30—First Nighter 10:45— "	Mr. President " " Record Man " "	News; Sports and Jive " " " "	To Be Announced Five-Star Final
11:00—News. Collingwood 11:15—Dance Orchestra 11:30— "	News; Music You Want " " " "	News.	

W. Va. Bank Resumes 6% Dividend Rate

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 17 (AP). The Citizens National Bank today resumed its 6 per cent regular dividend rate by announcing a $3.50 dividend for the last half of 1947. A regular dividend of $2.50 was paid in June and a special anniversary payment of $2.50 a share was made in October.

President Bernard D. Fulk said the better earnings came from increased loans and discount items, with deposits holding about the same.

Review of Md. Voting Finishes

By The Associated Press

Senator Bricker (R., Ohio) said a review of ballots in Maryland's disputed 1946 sentatorial election was completed by a Senate Rules Subcommittee yesterday.

Bricker, a member of the subcommittee, said the group next will consider "questions of fraud" which have come up in its investigation. He told a reporter the subcommittee probably would defer action until after the regular session starts in January.

People's Counsel's Appeal to PSC Tested in Court

Baltimore, Dec. 17 (AP).—The Baltimore City Circuit Court was asked today to pass on the question of whether the people's counsel of Maryland has a right to take an appeal from an order of the Public Service Commission.

The question was raised before Judge John T. Tucker by counsel for the Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co. and an assistant to the general counsel of the PSC.

People's Counsel Philip H. Dorsey, jr., had appealed a PSC ruling approving new rate schedules for gas and electricity filed by the company.

Dorsey contended the commission erred in its method of arriving at the company's "fair-value" of return on investment" for ratemaking purposes.

In a demurrer to the appeal, attorneys for the company argued the people's counsel is not a party in interest. Judge Tucker reserved his opinion.

Conservation Heads Named in Va. Counties

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 17.—Committeemen to administer the agricultural conservation program next year have been elected by conventions in three nearby counties. The choices were made by delegates elected December 9. The committemen are:

Stafford County—Hunter R. Greenaw, chairman; A. M. McWhirt, vice chairman; H. D. Carter, regular member; L. P. Graves and T. L. Segar, alternates. Spotsylvania County—J. R. Alrich, chairman; L. B. Dickinson, vice chairman; J. I. Payne, regular member; Gordon Hildrup and R. C. Goodwin, alternates. King George County—W. I. King, chairman; A. B. Strother, vice chairman; L. W. Fitzgerald, regular member; H. B. Yancey and H. V. Ashton, alternates.

College Plans Musical Greetings

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 17 (AP). The radio department of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia is mailing copies of five transcriptions of Christmas music to 21 broadcasting stations in Virginia and five in Florida, the District of Columbia, West Virginia and Massachusetts, college officials announced today.

The recordings, made by the 90-voice choir and 60-voice Glee Club of the school, are designed as a seasonal greeting to alumni, students and friends of the school.

The programs were directed, produced and announced entirely by students in the radio department of the college.

Court Reverses Verdict Against Transit Line

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 17 (AP).—Although the driver of an emergency vehicle must avoid recklessness, "to stop at every slight indication of danger might often be a failure of duty" the Court of Appeals observed today in reversing a verdict for damages against the Baltimore Transit Co.

The company had appealed a Balticome City Court jury award of $950 to Miss Esther C. Young, 60, as the result of a collision at Howard and Lexington sts. June 30, 1946.

Judge Edward S. Delaplaine's opinion for the Court of Appeals declared Miss Young had failed to prove "some negligent act or omission" of the defendant.

Court Asked to End Suit for Good Reason

Baltimore, Dec. 17 (AP).—Albert Eminizer today asked the court to dismiss the $25,000 damage suit which Patricia Cornell brought against him last spring after she had been injured while riding with him in his car. Eminizer contends she cannot leagly sue him now. They were married in June.

H. J. Duke, Jr., Named To Red Cross Post

Winchester, Va., Dec 17.—H. J. Duke, jr., assistant engineer and chemist with the Virginia Woolen Co., here, has been appointed safety and accident prevention chairman of the Winchester-Frederick County Chapter, American Red Cross. He is coordinator for the first aid detachment and the safety organization at the woolen company.

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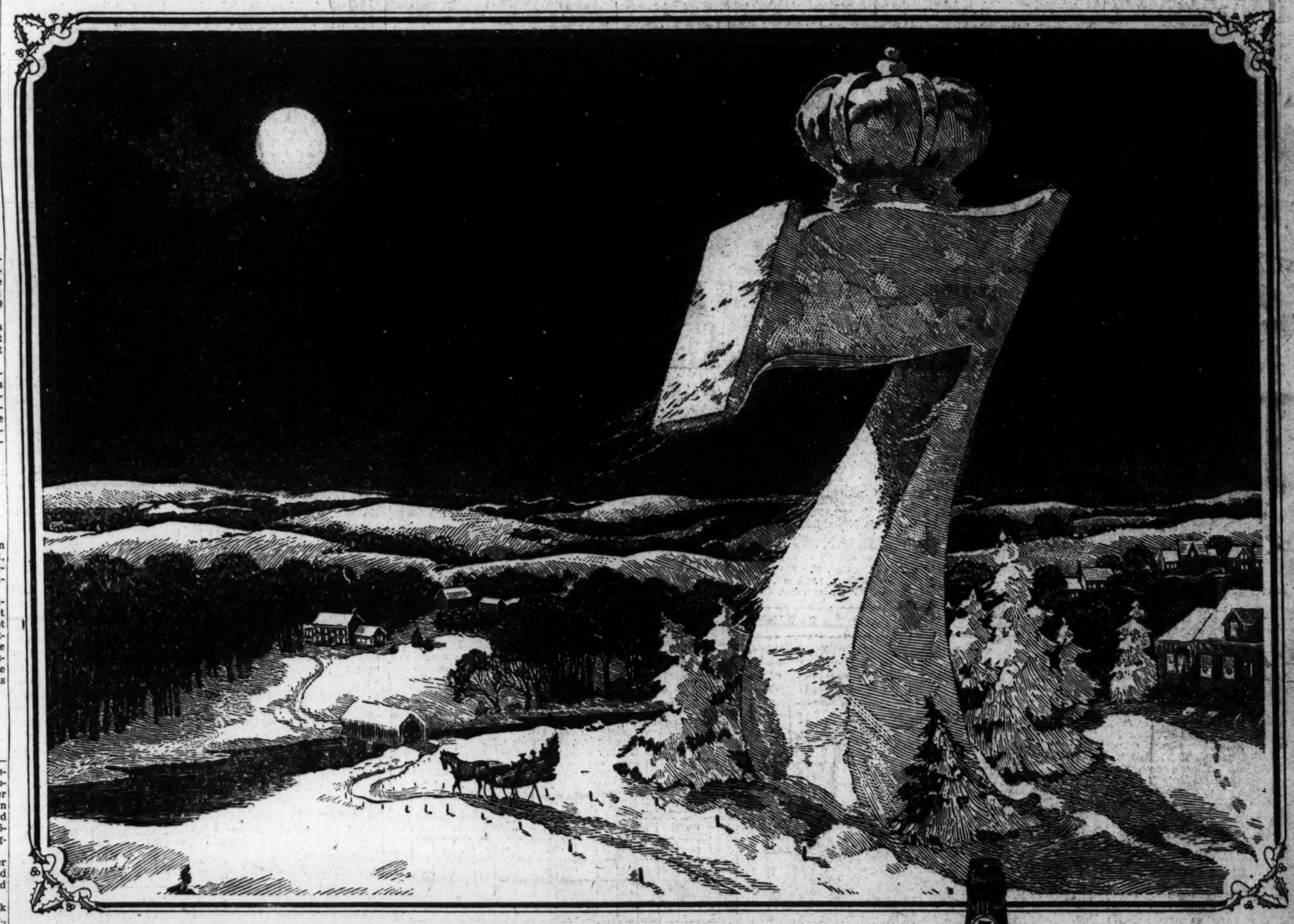

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WASHINGTON: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1947

ATTRACTIVE and useful present for the woman who likes to sew is this small chest of drawers

THIS butter spreader in the "Danish Princess" pattern, iced drink spoon in "Lovely Lady," and seafood cocktail fork in "Youth" are among the silverplate "accessory pieces" available this year for the first time since 1942.

Here Are the Answers

Plight Before Christmas Is Finding Mother's Gift

By Lucia Brown

WHAT, no present for her yet?

Maybe you've been biding your time, waiting for just the right inspiration so you can plunge into the Christmas crowd and come out in double-quick time with a gift that will give her pleasure and comfort the year round.

Only six more days are left, though—about 48 little shopping hours—in which to take the fatal leap. So today we're offering a few suggestions for the gifts for the homemaker in your life—mother, wife, daughter or sister.

This Christmas it is more fun to shop for the homemaker than for many seasons past. A lot of engaging gadgets that have been on military leave are back on the market, along with new ones that make housekeeping easier and more interesting. Quality is better on most things too, which makes a purchase considerably more satisfying.

To Keep Her Warm

ONE luxuriant gift you might like to give her is an electric blanket. These are plentiful this year and there are several different makes for sale in a variety of colors. One we examined was soft and light in weight and had a 2-way electronic control. The user simply dials the desired warmth on the control cabinet. When in use the blanket automatically adjusts its warmth to changes in body heat radiation and room temperature. The blankets are washable by hand, machinery, or laundry.

Grand gift for the woman who likes to sew is a small wooden sewing cabinet. It looks like a doll wardrober for a little girl to play with, but it's a practical sewing aid for mother instead. Its four drawers provide ample space for storing patterns, scraps, and accessories, as well as all the articles found in the usual sewing basket.

If she's been pining for accessory pieces to go with a set of silverplate, chances are you will be able to find those for her this year. For the first time since 1942, butter spreaders, iced drink spoons, and shrimp or oyster forks are available in some of the most popular patterns.

Toaster With "Brains"

AMONG the small electrical appliances she would enjoy receiving is a new-style toaster that toasts the bread to the exact shade of doneness the family likes. Called the "toaster with brains," it has a "color guard" that can be set at just the brown tone desired. When the toast reaches that shade, it pops up from the automatic toaster in the usual way.

A present that will be greeted with joy by any homemaker that needs more light over a working space in the kitchen or beside the bathroom mirror is a new fluorescent pin-up lamp. It has an extension cord which can be plugged into the nearest convenient outlet, while the lamp itself can be easily hung on pins on the wall. It's a smart-looking affair that will beautify as well as lighten the room.

And here's a gift one of the youngsters might like to give mother. It's a plastic case that's neat and handy for storing eggs in the refrigerator or for carrying them along on camp trips or picnics. The case keeps the eggs covered while they are in the ice box, which means they won't get stale as fast, and prevents egg breakage. It's inexpensive too—available at the five and dime store.

THIS pop-up toaster has "brains," they say. It cooks the toast to the exact shade of brown the family likes

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M. F.

Scour the iron with a mild, fine scouring powder or paste. When all scorch has been removed, wipe with a clean, damp cloth and dry.

I let some potatoes cook dry in a heavy aluminum sauce pan, and have been unable to get it clean. It has turned dark. Have boiled in soda water and scrubbed with steel wool. Can you make any suggestion?

F. C. L.

To brighten your aluminum pan, cook an acid food in it or boil a solution of 2 teaspoons cream of tartar to one quart water in the pan.

Can you suggest some novel way to present the gifts at a kitchen shower? A. G.

Here's a simple idea: Ask the guests to arrive 15 minutes in advance of the guest of honor and place all of the wrapped gifts in a laundry basket (a gift from the hostess, possibly), cover the basket with a towel and set in front of the guest of honor. Or, before the guest of honor arrives, place the wrapped gifts on the floor of a hall closet. Arrange old pots, cans and such so they will fall when the door is opened, i.e. Fibber Magee's closet. Arrange to have the guest of honor open the closet at an appropriate moment. Also, you might ask each guest to write a poem to describe her gift.

See ASK ANNE, Page 8, Col. 1

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Alexandria Club Has Holiday Program

Alexandria Woman's Club will meet at 2 p. m. today at the Recreation Center on Cameron st. for a special Christmas program arranged by the music department.

Feature artists will be Miss Grace Powell, violinist; Mrs. Dwight Chase, contralto, and Mrs. James Olive, soprano. Mrs. D. C. Book and Mrs. Thomas Gore will accompany them.

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On the National and International Club Front

Women Hear World Assembly Report

Representatives of 40 national women's organizations plus several outstanding individual leaders gathered at the United Nations Club yesterday afternoon to hear reports of the American delegation to the International Assembly, Women's World Fellowship, held in Paris last summer and to thresh out means of implementing resolutions passed by the body.

Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, vice president of the Women's National Republican Club, said that European women were surprised at the active interest American women show in fighting for peace and in supporting the United Nation's program. She pointed out that wherever she went she found Russia waging an all out psychological warfare against this country and that we are doing practically nothing to defend ourselves.

Emphasizing that most of the papers are Communist and that the people of many European countries have no access to general news, she urged that some way be worked out to get newsprint to the western European countries so they could have world news. "We ought to have a strong United States Information Service in western Europe to counteract Communist propaganda," she declared, and called upon the women to support and work for the Mundt bill that proposes such a service.

Eager for Information

Mrs. Ernestine Perry, former educational director, United States Government Food for Workers Program, who served as chairman of the American delegation to the International Assembly and vice president of the Interim International Council, Women's Fellowship, explained that the feminine delegates from 51 nations were eager to get information on technique for women's organizations. To make such a program effective, she proposed sending information kits to the libraries of United States Embassies in 51 countries. These kits would contain material of the procedures women's clubs follow in supporting legislative programs, UNESCO, United Nations, and other international projects.

Mrs. J. L. Blair Buck, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, read a report on recommendations passed by the delegates at the International Assembly, Women's World Fellowship. The report was prepared by Dr. Bernice Baxter of the National Education Association who headed the American delegation. In brief the report outlined the main recommendations passed by assembly delegates. These were greater participation of women in politics, international affairs, national and community events; support of the United Nations; International Children's Emergency Fund.

Women Urged to Act

Mrs. Lillian Mowrer, chairman of the District of Columbia Chapter, Women's Action Committee for Lasting Peace, gave a brief talk urging women to participate more actively in politics and to back the Marshall Plan and the Mundt bill.

Mrs. Helen Moodie, chairman, Women's Conference on International Affairs, related how the American delegates aboard the Queen Elizabeth en route to the assembly, held daily meetings to devise concrete plans of action, how they met at 8:15 every morning during the conference in order to keep abreast of the work.

Beta Sigma Phi Will Collect Toys for Mission

Xi Alpha Exemplar Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will hold its annual Christmas party at 8 tonight at the home of Miss Alice Renk, 1801 Calvert st. nw,

The chapter's Christmas project is to fill six bags for children for the Central Union Mission. The girls will bring their gifts to the party, where they will be wrapped for distribution to the mission.

Another Christmas project of the chapter was the furnishing of money to help a sorority sister in Germany provide a Christmas party at a German orphanage.

Mrs. John J. Hurley, social chairman, is in charge of arrangements and she is being assisted by the Misses Ruth Gilbert, Fern Steele, Elsie Sharp and Mrs. Victoria K. Strauch.

Mrs. Marvin to Present Christmas Program

Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin, State chairman of the filing and lending committee, will present a Christmas program at a meeting of Capt. Joseph Magruder Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, tomorrow at 1 p. m. Christmas music will also be featured. Mrs. Harry L. Morgan, chapter regent, will preside at the business session.

Hostess will be Mrs. Ida B. Toerse, who lives at Clifton ter. East. She will be assisted by Mrs. Arthur L. Degrego and Mrs. Nettie H. Stokes.

U. S. Daughters of 1812 Slates Christmas Fete

The District of Columbia Society, United States Daughters of 1812, will hold its Christmas program at 3 p. m. Friday at the national headquarters, 1461 Rhode Island ave. nw. Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin will tell a Christmas story. Mrs. Thomas W. Dimmick will play the musical selections. A business meeting will precede the program, with the State president, Mrs. Charles Henry Plotner, presiding. Three new members, Mrs. Harry L. Harris, Miss Martha J. Adamson and Miss Colleen C. Armantrout, will be welcomed.

Mrs. Leo L. Callaghan and Mrs. Ernest L. Etchison, jr., will serve as hostesses.

Soroptimists Collect Dolls for Hospital

Nearly 100 Soroptimists ladies brought cuddly dolls with them to luncheon yesterday at Washington Hotel.

It was the Soroptimist Christmas party and the toys were collected for distribution to Children's Hospital and Women's and Children's Clinic.

Miss Mary Turner was in charge of the program which included Christmas poems recited by 7-year-old Carolyn McKnight and vocal selections by Mrs. James Stone.

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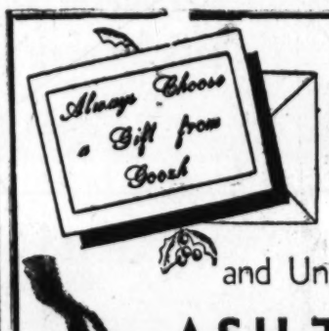

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Alexandria Y. W. Plans Christmas Musicale

Christmas music will be featured when the music committee of the Alexandria YWCA presents its weekly musicale, Sunday, 4 p. m., at the YWCA.

Miss Florence Frank, concert mistress of the Alexandria Civic Orchestra, will play several violin numbers including Borowski's "Adoration."

Old German carols will be sung by little Elise Caldwell who recently returned from a year's stay in that country.

A group of young people will open the program with three numbers: Westey's arrangement of "Jingle Bells," "Deck the Hall with Bough of Holly," and the popular "Westminster Carol" with its stirring "Gloria" chorus. These young people are Shirley Bowen, Virginia Grimes, Rosemary Barry, Martha Paisley, Roberta Kane, Clara Jane Alspaugh, Joyce Cranford and Carol Leef, plus a group of young men from the William Mason Saunders Chapter of DeMolay, as follows—Thomas Tanner, Dee Strobeck, Tommy Wick, Joseph Lamm, Stanley Garthoff and George Bendall.

Miss Joyce Cranford will sing Pietro Yon's "Jesu Bambino" with the violin obbligato by Florence Frank. She will also sing a "Christmas Cradle Song" by Alexine and Ivan Prokoff, "Lullaby" by Brahms will be sung by Shirley Bowen. From Fort Belvoir will come a baritone new to Alexandria—Corpl. Frank Childers who will be heard in "Nazareth" by Gounod, accompanied by Mrs. Charlotte Munson. "Maria Wiegenlied" by Max Heger will be sung by Miss Virginia Grimes.

The French "Bring a Torch, Janette, Isabella" and the Polish "He Is Sleeping in a Manger" will be sung by the chorus of girls who will then be joined by the boys' chorus in an antiphonal arrangement of the "Good King Wenceslas" after which the boys will close the program with "The Birthday of the King" and "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas."

After the singing, tea will be served by Job's Daughters. The committee will be Miss Charlotte Balderson, Miss Barbara Toms, Miss Pat Smallie, Miss Ruth Kimball and Miss Dorothy Meyers.

By Tom Kelley—The Washington Post

Mrs. Sarah Newman, right, chairman of the Washington Committee for Consumer Protection, examines the $89.95 price tag on the "new look" dress of gray velveteen worn by Mrs. Muriel Miller in the skit, "Has the New Look Caught You Short?" presented at the committee's luncheon at the YWCA yesterday. At left, Mrs. Miriam Levin, also in the show, wears a brown wool suit purchased for $45 before the lifting of price controls. The group does not protest longer skirts—merely the higher costs

Consumer Committee Laments Soaring Prices in Skits

"O, Christian Dior
I simply adore;
And Sophie of Saks . . . Oh, oh!
And Philip Mangone
You make me feel lonely . . .
I just can't afford all that dough."

So sang "Little Miss Butterless" (Mrs. Cecilia Platt) yesterday in a skit presented at the luncheon given in the YWCA's Barker Hall by the Washington Committee for Consumer Protection.

The affair was the first social function of the organization which made headlines in October of 1946 when it secured 3700 signatures in a pledge campaign of consumer resistance against buying meat costing more than 60 cents a pound.

The skit, entitled "Has the New Look Caught You Short?" brought forth many a laugh despite its reminder of soaring prices. Written and directed by Mrs. Abe M. Cohen, it showed both styles and prices "then and now" and was sung to the music of Gilbert & Sullivan's "Poor Little Buttercup, I." Mrs. Platt, representing Mrs. Average Consumer in the role of "Miss Butterless," was assisted by a chorus of fellow members, all Washington housewives. Mrs. Hattie Petersen was piano accompanist.

The show was divided into two parts—"Your Fashion Dollar" and "Your Market Basket Dollar."

Of Charles Luckman, former chairman of President Truman's Citizens' Food Committee, the girls sang:

"O, Luckman of Lever Freres,
You must own lots of shares;
Why did you up on our flakes?
We can't save or do without . . .
What do you do about
Banishing tattletale gray?"

Speaking at the get-together, attended by about 200 members, Mrs. Sarah H. Newman, chairman of the committee, called on women to insist on congressional action for the return of Government price controls. Quoting Department of Labor statistics showing the increased cost of living since the middle of last year (when OPA was dissolved), Mrs. Newman, concluded:

Controls Asked

"Only a roaring demand from consumers all over the United States will make Congress realize that we want price controls and price roll-backs and that we will not be satisfied with anything less. In true democratic fashion, let us ask our Congress to set up the controls we know will do the job. We don't want to depend any longer on voluntary cooperation for reduction in prices of essential foods like milk, bread and meat. Only Government controls can be depended upon to stop inflation now and we demand that Congress give us these controls."

A highlight of the program was the playing of a recording of the late President Roosevelt's famous "One Third of a Nation" address on the occasion of his second inauguration in January, 1937, in which he said: "I see one third of a nation ill-housed, ill-clad, ill-nourished."

YWCA to Hold Christmas Vesper Service Sunday

A traditional Christmas vesper service with caroling and a Christmas message will be given by the YWCA on Sunday, December 21, at 4:30 p. m.

Miss Bina Nelson of the YWCA, Calcutta, India, will lead the group in prayer and responsive readings and Miss Mabel R. Cook, executive director of the YWCA, will give the Christmas message.

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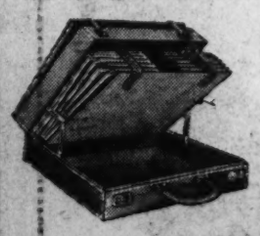

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On Capital's Party Front

THE Ambassador of Colombia and Senora de Restrepo-Jaramillo entertained at a dinner last evening at the embassy. Their guests included the Ambassador of the Argentine and Senora de Ivanissevich, the Ambassador of Costa Rica and d'Affaires of Peru and Senora de d'Affaires of Peru and Senora de Fernandez-Davila, and the Charge d'Affaires of Uruguay and Senora de Mora.

In the group of younger people attending the party were Elena Ivanissevich, Zulita Fernandez-Davila and Gladys Mora. Also, Maria Elena Restrepo and Cecilia Restrepo, daughters of the host and hostess. Escorts included Jorge H. Restrepo, son of the Ambassador and Senora de Restrepo—Jaramillo; Juan Antonio Rodrigues, son of Senora de Mora; Jose Adrianzen, Assistant Commercial Attache of Peru; Fernando Gaitan, First Secretary of the Colombian Embassy; Mario Santo Domingo and Felipe Portocarrero of Colombia.

Ambassador and Mrs. Makin Give Dinner Party

The Australian Ambassador and Mrs. Norman Makin were hosts at dinner last evening at the embassy.

Their guests were the Counselor of the British Embassy and Mrs. Archibald McDonald Gordon, Col. and Mrs. Charles Fletcher Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt, Mrs. Lance Lewis, Mrs. Robert E. Lee 3d, Miss Elizabeth Considine and C. J. Smard.

Brytes, Cabells Entertain at Party

ONE of the gay spots about town yesterday afternoon was the Army-Navy Club, where a joint cocktail party was given by Col. and Mrs. Walter Grant Bryte and Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Charles Pearre Cabell. Around 150 guests were invited for between 6 and 8.

Mrs. Clark Entertains Wives of Justices

MRS. BENNETT CHAMP CLARK was hostess at luncheon yesterday at her home on Q st., for wives of the Justices of the United States Court of Appeals of which Justice Clark is a member.

The ladies included Mrs. D. Lawrence Groner, Mrs. Barrett Prettyman, Mrs. Harold M. Stephens, Mrs. Henry W. Edgerton and Mrs. Wilbur Miller.

Emil Hurjas Plan Two Holiday Parties

MR. and Mrs. Emil Hurja will give two parties this holiday season in lieu of their usual open-house carol sing on Christmas Eve. They will entertain at a buffet supper on Sunday evening and will give a dinner party Christmas Eve. Carol singing will be a feature of both fetes.

As the Santa Claus who appeared at their former parties has moved to Scarsdale, N. Y., the host himself will be the impersonator.

Mrs. Russell Bennett Is Luncheon Hostess

MRS. RUSSELL BENNETT was hostess at luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower with Mrs. Norman Makin, wife of the Australian Ambassador, ranking guest in the company of 20.

The Christmas season inspired the table decorations of red poinsettias and white snapdragons.

Other guests were Mme. Eriksson, wife of the Swedish Ambassador; Senora de Rodriguez, wife of the Minister-Counselor of the Chilean Embassy; Mrs. Effingham Townsend, Mrs. Burdette Fitch, Mrs. Michael Francis Doyle, Philadelphia; Mrs. McCeney Werlich, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty.

Also Mrs. Atherton Macondray, Mrs. Robert E. Lee 3d, Mrs. Emil Hurja, Mrs. Gordon Egoroff, Mrs. Edmund Brewer Montgomery, Mrs. Jean DeLattre-Seguy, Mrs. James Souby, Mrs. Benjamin Hill, Miss Beatrice Moore and Miss Custis Blake.

General and Mrs. Trudeau Give Holiday Party

BRIG. GEN. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert Trudeau gave a Christmas party in their quarters at Fort Myer yesterday afternoon. It was the first in a series of cocktail parties, which they are giving for their friends this winter. About 50 guests were invited.

Dinner Guest See Films of Safari

JUST back from a South African safari, Percifor Spilsbury showed pictures of his venture last evening at a dinner party he and Mrs. Spilsbury gave at the Shoreham Hotel. Their guests of honor on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Allingham Burks Summers.

Leaves for Canal Zone

Mrs. John M Stanko has gone to the Canal Zone to join her husband, Lieutenant Stanko, who is stationed there as aide to Rear Adm. John F. Shafroth, jr., commandant of the 15th Naval District. Mrs. Stanko is the former Miss Mary Margaret McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. McDonald. Her wedding took place October 30 in the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament, with Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas G. Smyth officiating.

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Denfelds Honored at Press Party

By Genevieve Reynolds

OFFICIAL AND residential Washington society, joined with the distaff side of the fourth estate to give a rousing welcome to the new Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Louis E. Denfeld and Mrs. Denfeld. Occasion was the American Newspaper Women's Club's festive party honoring the Denfelds yesterday afternoon a the club's headquarters, 1604 20th st. nw.

Admiral Denfeld, popularly known as "Good Louie," was Commander in Chief of the Pacific Fleet before taking over his new post this week as successor to Admiral Chester W. Nimitz.

Approximately 100 scribes and their guests turned out to meet or greet the Denfelds between 5 and 7 p. m. in the gayly decorated clubrooms festooned with holly, pines and Christmas lights.

From the service contingent came Navy's Chief of Personnel, Rear Admiral J. T. Sprague, and Mrs. Sprague; the Deputy Chief of Personnel, Rear Admiral John W. Roper, and Mrs. Roper; the head of Navy's Public Information, Rear Admiral Felix Johnston, and Mrs. Johnston; Comdr. H. V. Byrd, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Gerauld Wright, Comdr. Eleanor Rigby.

Aide Is Guest

Mrs. Frederic W. Witt, associate club member, brought as her guests the President's naval aide, Rear Admiral James H. Foskett; Capt. and Mrs. William H. Watson, jr., USN; Mrs. Charles W. Bunker and Mrs. Charles Futch.

Seen in a huddle around the eggnog bowl were the Hawaiian Delegate, Joseph H. Farrington, and Mrs. Farrington; Dr. and Mrs. H. Trendley Dean, Mrs. Irene Caldwell, Mrs. Norton Barron, Mrs. J. T. Stockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mosier, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morris, the Federal Trade Commissioner, James H. Freer; Rear Admiral Luther Matthew Sheldon, USN, retired; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Havas, Miss Marguerite Griggi.1, Dr. Corwin Edwards, the newly appointed chief economic adviser of the Federal Trade Commission.

Glimpsed around the tea table were Miss Barbara Guinn, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jaeckel, and Lieut. George Doster, USN.

Associate members taking turns at the tea table and punch bowl were Mrs. Luther Matthew Sheldon, Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, Mrs. Tomas Cajigas, Miss Anita Cajigas, Mrs. Robert Whitney Imbrie, and Mrs. Charles Stanley White. Active members assisting were Mrs. Gerauld Wright and Mrs. Joshua Evans, jr.

Heading the receiving line with Admiral and Mrs. Denfeld were Mrs. Margaret Hart Canby, club president; Miss Grace McGreer, vice president.

Diplomats Make Reservations for Hasty Pudding Show

The Danish Ambassador and Mme. De Kauffmann head the list of those who have made reservations to see "Here's the Pitch," which the Harvard Hasty Pudding Club will present on Sunday at 8:30 in the Lisner Auditorium.

Justice and Mrs. Harold H. Burton are also on the list as are Representative and Mrs. Richard B. Wigglesworth, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air and Mrs. John Nicholas Brown; former Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Joseph Clark Grew, former Ambassador and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, former Minister and Mrs. Leland Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence Houghteling, Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kent Legare and Mrs. F. Hamilton McCormick-Goodhart.

Still more planning to be there are Col. and Mrs. Robert Gilpin Ervin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Munroe, Miss Elisabeth Houghton, Dr. Arthur Stull, Col. and Mrs. Chauncey Parker, Coleman Jennings, Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. Eliot Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran Thom, jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Redway.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gay Hooker, who will entertain after the show, will be on hand and others who have already made their reservations are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clement Watson, Randolph G. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kauffman, Mrs. Albert M. Dewey, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Cabot, Mrs. Rodney Bean and Mrs. William C. Crane.

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Tall, Dashing General, Last of China's War Lords, Flashes on Capital Scene

By Mary Van Rensselaer Thayer

ONE of the most intriguing personages flashing briefly on the Washington scene is a white haired, six foot plus Chinese who gets about linguistically with the aid of two interpreters. He's Feng Yu-hsiang, the "Christian General," who was converted by Methodist missionaries. He's the sole survivor of the group of Chinese war lords whose personal armies tramped to and fro across China during the 20's and 30's, wreaking considerable material damage but killing surprisingly few. He started life as an uneducated coolie, turned to soldiering and became so efficient he was sent to Peiyang, China's West Point.

Sticking closely to his motto, "No work, no eat," he rose to dizzy military heights, maintaining his personal integrity by never eating more than one dish at each meal, wearing cheap uniforms and choosing as his second wife a secretary of the Peking YMCA!

He forbade his soldiers to smoke, drink or gamble and commenced each military day with a gusty round of hymns. Somehow the story got around (and made Feng Yu-hsiang world famous) that he christened his troops en masse by squirting them with a fire hose. According to the Chinese this enchanting tale was conjured from the fertile imagination of American correspondents and further glorified by newsgatherer John Gunther in his "Inside Asia."

Feng Yu-hsiang

Feng made international history at least twice. Once by grabbing the Boy Emperor (now Henry Pu-Yi, who became puppet emperor in Manchukuo) out of Peking's Forbidden City, forcing him to sign away his titles, fortune, home. The Boy Emperor's life was probably saved by his British tutor, Sir Reginald Johnson, who spirited him away by a smart ruse from under Feng's nose.

Second, his first social sortie when he attended a luncheon given in honor of President Theodore Roosevelt's widow. He arrived at this dressy affair in a soiled cotton uniform, his boots mudcaked.

Right now he is on the outs with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek who has sent him to survey "water conservation" in this country. The most interesting bit of gossip told by the Christian general's entourage is about the Generalissimo's reaction when he read a draft of Gen. Al Wedemeyer's still unpublished report on China. Chiang, they say, poker in hand, went around his house smashing every object made in America!

Soviet Envoy a Mystery

THE USSR's new Ambassador is due to arrive in Washington next week. So far he's pretty much a mystery to even the initiate in Eastern European goings on. Though there's a heartening rumor that the politburo envoy is more socially graceful than his predecessor, Nickolai Novikoff. Here are the few meagre facts we've corralled: his name is Alexsander Semenovich Panyushkin, he's 42, married, has two children. He's said to be a military man and his sole diplomatic job has been Ambassador in China from 1939 to 1944. Since then he's been assigned to the Soviet equivalent of the foreign office on what is enigmatically called "unspecified duties." Mr. Panyushkin has a hard row to hoe—success is impossible yet too obvious failure will consign him to uncomfortable Soviet oblivion.

Palestine Issue Repercussion

FIRST social repercussion of Palestine's partition occurred yesterday afternon when Mme. Malik, wife of the Lebanese Minister, gave an afternoon party in honor of Mme. Vassili Dendramis and Senora de Belt. The honored ladies are, respectively, wives of the Greek and Cuban Ambassadors. Their countries did not vote for Palestine partition. Perhaps, this is the commencement of a social series—Arab countries partying for those who abstained or voted against partition.

Europe Needs Our Comradeship, Zontas Told

Dr. Fred S. Buschmeyer, pastor of Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, told members of the Zonta Club yesterday of the physical, mental and spiritual destruction he discovered in his tour of Europe last summer.

The physical damage in Europe is unimaginable to us, the speaker said, but what is of almost equal significance is the mental and spiritual damage that has resulted.

Dr. Buschmeyer, chairman of the executive committee of the General Council of Congregational Christian Churches, was a member of a group of six religious leaders who toured England, Scotland, France, Holland, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Switzerland, Italy, Greece and Germany to study general relief needs and work already being done by Congregational churches and the Church World Service Committee.

Intellectual leaders of war-damaged Europe realize, he said, that the people's minds must be rebuilt as well as homes, railroads, etc. Our mental and spiritual comradeship is especially needed there, he said, for strengthening the Marshall Plan.

Glassfords to Be Guests

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Glassford 3d will spend Christmas with Mrs. Deborah Glassford, bringing with them the latter's namesake, young Deborah Glassford, age 2. They will arrive from Boston Sunday afternoon.

Tau Phi to Entertain

The Washington Council of Tau Phi National Sorority will give its annual Christmas dance on December 26 in the Gold Room of the Hamilton Hotel from 9 to 12. Jack Morton's Orchestra will play. Tickets will be on sale at the door.

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IF YOU'RE USING OLD Christmas tree lights that served you in previous years, check them carefully before they go on the tree. Look for any worn places in the insulation on the wire and wrap such places carefully with friction tape. Take care not to turn extension cords to the tree under rugs or over nails. Keep tinsel or other flammable decorations away from the sockets of light bulbs on the tree.

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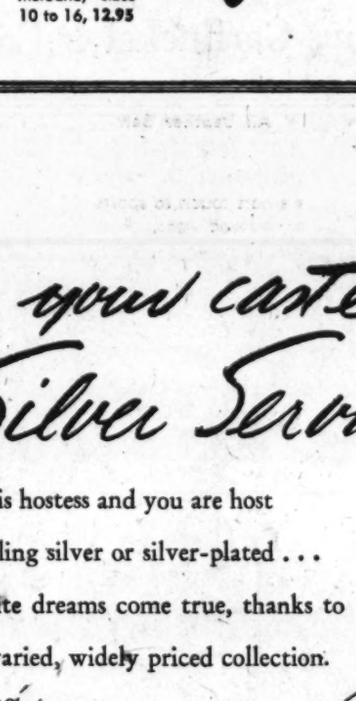

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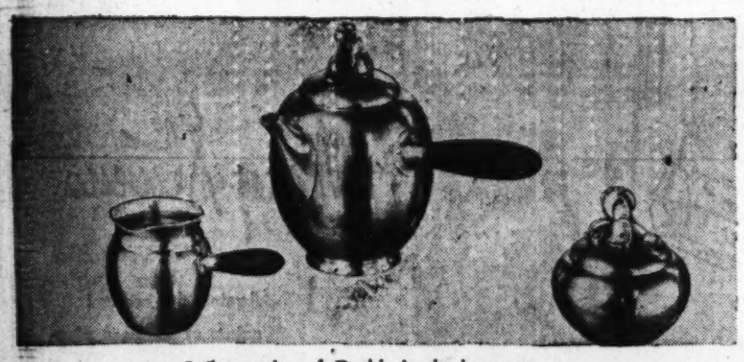

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Small Boy Was Model Child Until His Father Returned From War; Since Then He Presents Increasingly Worrisome Behavior Problems

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: My husband and I are much in love and very affectionate with each other and our two children. At the time we married, we were both music students, he a gifted violinist, and shortly afterward he went overseas with the Army.

When he returned our son was two years old, and while Junior had been a perfect baby until then, it took him six months to accept his father. He had temper tantrums, refused to take naps from that time on and even had trouble sleeping at nights.

Junior has an affectionate disposition and can be sweet and good, but he is also wilful, stubborn, sensitive, quick tempered and defiant, sometimes "talking back" and even striking us when he is angry or hurt. He seems different from other children we know and we find him very difficult most of the time.

Gladly Accepts Newborn Sister

SIX MONTHS ago his sister was born, a hurdle we met successfully. Although he had a spell of stammering before her arrival, we ignored it and it passed. He looked forward to her advent and loves her with pride and tenderness now that she's here, but our problem with him hasn't changed.

He flies into a rage over almost nothing and outwits us at every turn. We've tried everything in the book, to no avail. He doesn't sleep as much as he should nor does he eat well, and he has an allergy. He doesn't care much for play with other children, but when he joins them he acts like any normal child.

He has an obsession about listening to music, which we haven't encouraged except by making music available. He's had his own record player for a year and would glady spend 24 hours a day listening to it, from his rocking horse or rocking chair. It's a battle to get him outdoors even for an hour.

Shows Intense Love of Music

HIS music-appreciation has progressed so rapidly that he's practically taken over our large collection of classics, in preference to children's records, and some of his self-chosen favorites are the very best by critical standards.

Last evening he accidentally smashed one of his favorites and was heartbroken. Neither of us scolded him; instead we sympathized and promised him another, as he is more cautious with records than most adults. But when he wakened in the middle of the night, crying over the broken record, we really became worried and decided to write to you.

Does he need a psychiatrist? Would nursery school help? His doctor told me only to read a book that I've already read. We would appreciate your advice, as we love our children and want to bring them up qualified to meet obstacles that are great in this complicated world. L. B.

Child Reflects Mother's Tension

DEAR L. B.: You take everything too hard—vibrating at high-C pitch to all forms of experience—and therefore so does Junior, whose plastic infant being you had molded to your temperamental image-and-likeness before his father got back from war.

Until his father reappeared to absorb large quotient of your love, interest, attention and tension, Junior was exclusively on the receiving end of the physical brunt of it, an experience hardly calculated to give him "breathing space" for easy natural healthy growth of personality on the infant or child-level.

Moreover, I daresay you kept him virtually intoxicated with extravagant worship in that time, so that on every count the coming-to-grips with the father's normalizing presence was as consternating, as strangely offensive to his "conditioned" feelings or concept of reality, as would be a shift of home from Earth to Mars, for yourself.

Mother Ought To Heal Self

HENCE the seemingly inexplicable change in him from that time forth, which your high-C anxiety continually exacerbates. Music to him is passport to fantasy-flights—escape in reverse to the "out-of-this-world" bliss he felt in infancy. Also excuse to stick close to you.

I've cut your letter in half, as you know, leaving out the part wherein you verbally sweat about Junior's eventual choice of life-work, but I mention it here as proof that you are neurotic, believe it or not.

In looking so far ahead for something to worry about, you are manifesting "free floating anxiety," a generalized symptom of chronic emotional morbidity. And the greatest service you can do Junior is to get yourself straightened out, with the help of top-notched psychiatric therapy. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Washington Post.

Bring Efficiency To the Kitchen

Each week when the bread box is cleaned out and washed, reline it with a paper picnic napkin. It gives a clean appearance to the interior of the box and is very inexpensive.

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Tuck the new recipe in the back of the kitchen card index. Then when you have time it can be written out on a card or pasted directly on the card. Don't just carelessly put it down and then forget where you left it.

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Perhaps the sugar you bought in quantity has developed lumps in it and in consequence is coarser. Place the sugar in a bag and hold it over the spout of the tea kettle, allowing the steam to pass through the bag. The sugar will soon be ready to sift.

Exercise Can Do Miracles of Slimming

By Ida Jean Kain

A spot of exercise can work streamlining wonders. I'm not saying that exercise is reducing in spots . . . exactly. That is, the extra calories burned in exercise do not necessarily come from the exact muscles being used. Nevertheless, the effect is the same. The streamlining is achieved through stimulus to muscle tone and the consequent tightening of the musculature. Well-toned muscles are more shapely.

And since exercise steps up the circulation, it stands to reason that circulation would be brisker in the spots being exercised, which is all to the good.

Limbering exercises are not only more fun to take, but they make for greater flexibility and more shapely figures. So make believe you're a dancer warming up to perform . . .

Standing, stretch arms above head, lace fingers and turn palms toward ceiling. Now get a nice lift

through the middle of the figure and bend gently and rhythmically sideward . . . not too far. Let your knees bend a bit, have nothing "holding" in this except through the middle muscles. If exercising to music, bend and stretch in time to the tune.

Now a different kind of bend . . . this one forward. Holding the up pull, bend forward at the waist and push your arms as far out in front of your waist as they will reach. Push! You can almost feel yourself slimming in the middle.

Flop over and go limp, head hanging down, arms dangling loosely, knees sagging. Straighten up slowly and slump again. This brings the nicest feeling of release . . .

Now for the big hip and thigh muscles. Standing, have left hand on chair back for balance, and swing right leg and right arm up in front, then s-w-i-n-g back past a 45 degree angle, tightening the big muscle on the back of the hips, but swinging free and easy with the arm. Repeat six times, change sides and repeat six times. Later this exercise can be done 25 times, changing sides between each 12 counts.

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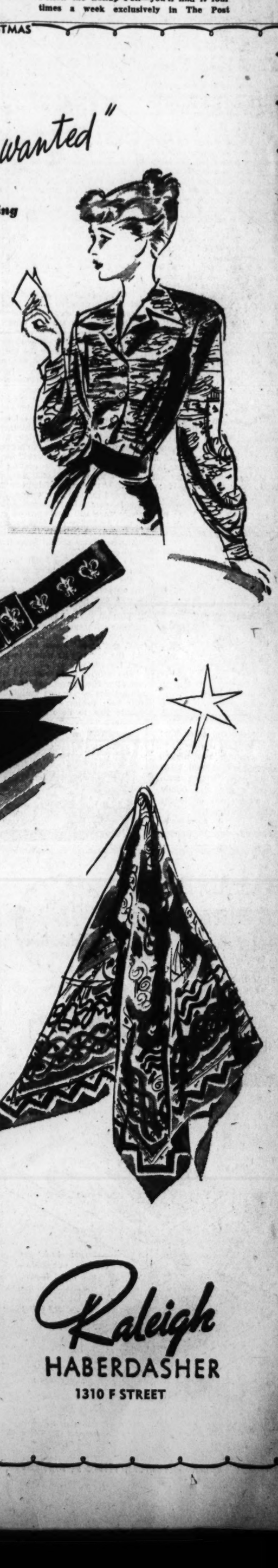

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Ask Anne

From Page 1

Have poems read one at a time, asking guest of honor to guess the object. Here's a poem to accompany an egg beater:

Here's to the cake
The bride will bake
Oh, may I help to beat it!
May fate be kind
And love stay behind
So hubby, dear, can eat it.

I am leaving for Miami Beach, Fla., to stay for the last two weeks in December. I would like very much to know the proper dress and sport clothes to take. We are staying at a hotel.—R. G. B.

The sort of clothes which you would wear in Washington during the summer months will be appropriate in Miami Beach the last of December. A lightweight coat is needed to wear during the evening. Also, a lightweight suit for "unseasonable weather" would be a wise addition to your wardrobe. Whether or not you wear a dinner dress in the evening is optional as I understand either formal or informal dresses are appropriate for dinner at a hotel. You should take the sort of sport clothes you would wear here during the summer for sport.

I have two down pillows I should like to wash or have cleaned. I have tried two laundry and dry cleaning establishments, but they do not take them. Can you tell me how to do them myself (without the aid of a washing machine)? I also want to put on new covers. Should I do this before or after the washing?—M. H.

Listed under "Mattresses" in the yellow section of your telephone book are a number of bedding firms that clean and renovate bed pillows. They take the feathers out and wash them and either clean the cover or make a new one.

If you wish to do the job at home, here are some suggestions. First, transfer the feathers to another bag, more porous than the ticking and twice as large. To transfer the feathers, sew the openings of the two bags together so that you can shake the feathers from one to the other with none escaping. Now, air the feathers in the larger bag on a windy, sunny, dry day. At the end of the airing period you will be able to determine if this has been sufficient to freshen them. If so, place the feathers in the new ticking in the same way as they were removed from the old. If you wish to wash the feathers, launder them without removing from the large bag. Wash gently by hand, squeezing the suds through them. Rinse well and hang on the line in the bag to dry, punching the bag occasionally during the drying process to fluff them. You will find it much easier to dry them if you wait for bright, low humidity weather to wash them. When feathers dry too slowly they develop a bad odor. Be sure to dry them thoroughly before putting back into the ticking.

There's nothing more welcome beneath the Christmas tree than a gift of homemade marmalade or conserve. It's not too late to make it either, with fresh oranges, grapefruit, and tangerines so plentiful on the market

What is the method for cleaning wrought iron, cast iron and tinware? I have an old pierced tin lantern, candle-mold, tin tray, and a very old wooden knife box. Should the tinware be painted or the knife box be restored in any way, or would that destroy their value? The tin and iron items are rather rusty.

To clean the rust from the iron and tinware, first soak in kerosene, then rub with fine steel wool or emery cloth. After the metal is clean and bright, wipe with turpentine or benzene. To prevent rust in the future it would be a good idea to apply a coating of clear lacquer or liquid wax, or both. If two coats of lacquer are used and the article is waxed after the lacquer dries thoroughly, it's appearance will be improved and it will be highly resistant to rust. Occasional rubbing and rewaxing when necessary should keep it in good condition.

As to the wooden knife box, it can be cleaned by wiping with one of the commercial furniture cleaners on the market or with a cloth wrung out in a furniture wash made by mixing three tablespoons linseed oil and one tablespoon turpentine with one quart hot water. After washing dry immediately with soft cloth. When thoroughly dry the box can be waxed to protect the surface.

The finishes just mentioned will not alter the appearance of these old articles as painting would, but will help preserve them. Many people like to decorate old tinware and wooden boxes with gay designs of the Pennsylvania Dutch type. In deciding whether to paint yours or not, consider the value and interest of the pieces as antiques as they now stand, whether their present appearance is attractive, and whether they will appear incongruous with a coat of paint on them.

Too Many Day Naps May Keep Baby From Sleeping at Night

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

There may be noticeable changes in a child's sleeping habits beginning at about nine months of age. These changes have two common patterns. Up to this time the child may have been napping willingly twice a day; a short nap and a long one. If he is on four meals a day it is probable that the long one will still come after the 10 a. m. feeding. If he is already changed to three meals, then he may nap shortly in the morning and take a longer nap some time after the noon meal.

What happens when these two naps continue is that he may tend to waken two or three times at night and fuss and cry and seem unable to sleep. The temptation to give food to encourage the baby to sleep, is very strong. And this initiates the habit of eating again in the middle of the night, which habit was broken several months previously.

Change Diet at First

The first point of attack, when this happens, is upon the daytime diet. It should be a generous one, at this age. The breast-fed baby should be weaned and both bottle and breast babies have an introduction to milk by cup, so that within the next three months they will have learned to drink this way.

If the baby is still wakeful after all possible changes have been made in the diet so the parent is convinced it is as good as she can make it; then she should be suspicious that the baby is sleeping too much in daytime to admit of a good night's sleep. It were better if a choice must be made between two naps in daytime and a good night's sleep, for the latter to win hands down. No mother who is on her feet all day, engrossed with the care and feeding of her flock, and the work that accompanies this, can afford to have her night's rest broken.

Mid-Day Is Best

It may take a little management to accomplish this. Take it for granted that if there is to be but one nap that this had best come in the middle of the day, so as to cut its activities in two. Right after the mid-day meal is the ideal time for this. If baby becomes tired and sleepy in the morning, play with him so as to keep him awake until the noon meal. He can be fed as early as 11:30 a. m. and be in bed by one hour later.

Then if he sleeps for several hours he should be kept awake until he is ready for bed. His meal may be given at 5:30, before he is too exhausted to enjoy it, and then he can stay up for an hour or so longer before being stowed away for the night. Happy dreams and no night wakefulness, we hope.

Easier on the Bindings

Do not stuff the library shelves so tightly with books that they must be forced in and out. This is very hard on bindings besides giving an ugly stiff appearance to the bookshelves that makes them appear unused.

In the Sick Room

Windows should be opened regularly every 2 hours in cold weather in the sick room, long enough to change the circulation of air. Bundle up the patient and give her and the room a better atmosphere.

Cleaning the Fireplace

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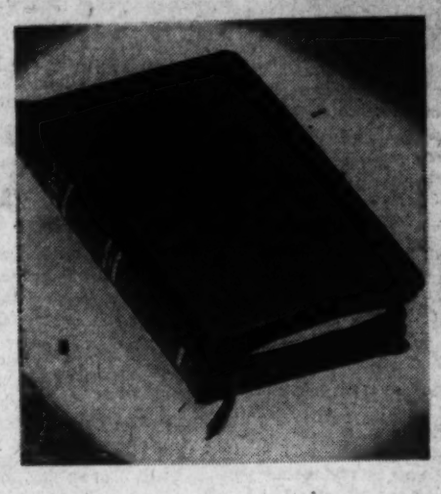
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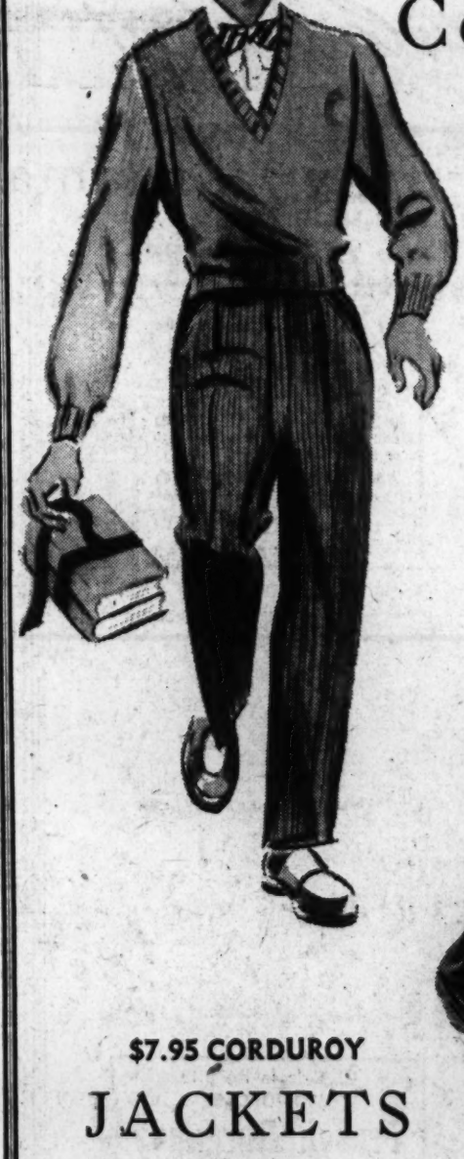
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In Bridal Procession

Miss Marilyn Jean Pontious, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Pontious of Mount Washington, Baltimore, Md., was married on December 6 to Capt. Richard Carroll Hayden, Medical Corps, AUS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Hayden of Chevy Chase, Md. The wedding took place in Sacred Heart Church, Mount Washington.

Escorted by her father, the bride was gowned in white chantilly lace with fingertip veil attached to a lace coronet. Her bouquet was of white rosebuds and sweetpeas.

Miss Charlotte Sylvester, maid of honor, was costumed in copper velvet with matching lace mitts. Bridesmaids were Miss Louise Dyer, Miss Ilah Markusson and Miss Mildred Hofferberth, gowned in aqua velvet. All carried yellow and orange chrysanthemums.

Lieut. Charles Hilary Hayden, USN, acted as best man. Ushers were Dr. Herbert Brandes, Dr. Francis Grumbine and William E. Pontious, jr.

After a wedding trip to Atlantic City and New York the couple will reside in Baltimore.

Heikkila—Mackey

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Ina Mackey of Hibbing, Minn., and Edwin Heikkila of Floodwood, Minn., on October 28 in Hibbing. The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mackey, was formerly employed by the War Department in Washington. The bridegroom is the son of Charles Heikkila.

The couple will make their home at Floodwood, Minn.

Rings on Their Fingers

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Schoolmeester have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Lou Schoolmeester, to John Parker Waddell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. James Waddell of Chevy Chase and Coral Gables, Fla. The wedding will take place in June.

The bride-elect was graduated from Immaculata Seminary and is attending Barry College for Women in Miami, Fla. Mr. Waddell attended George Washington University and will graduate from the University of Miami in June. During the war he served overseas in Italy.

Leiderman—Cohen

The engagement of her daughter, Miss Rosalie Leiderman, to Donald S. Cohen has been announced by Mrs. Dorothy Solomon. Mr. Cohen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cohen. He was graduated from Maryland University and is now attending Georgetown University Law School.

The wedding will take place in June.

Senator Malone to Address GOP Women at Dinner Meeting

Senator George W. Malone of Nevada, who has just returned from a survey of European countries, will discuss "Foreign Aid and Rehabilitation" when the evening political study group of the D. C. League of Republican Women holds its Christmas dinner meeting today, 6:30 p. m., at the Dodge Hotel.

Organized about three months ago, the political study group, which was set up for business and professional women who cannot attend the day meetings of the league, has grown to 100 members, according to an announcement by Mrs. Edward St. John, group chairman.

League members have been collecting Christmas gifts for patients at Forest Glen under the direction of Mrs. John Kennedy, gift project chairman.

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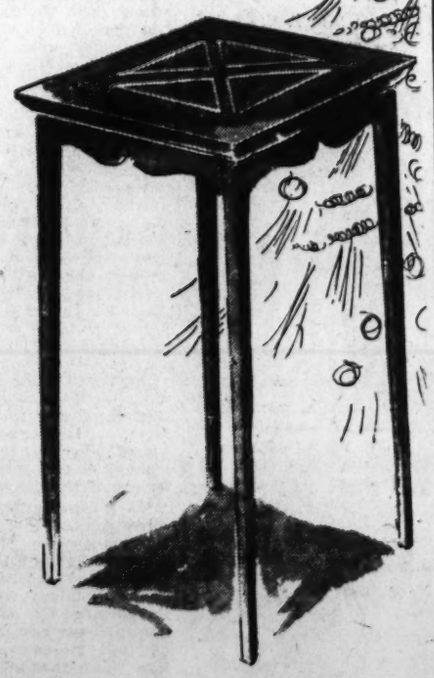

It's a chairside cigarette table, but its uses are endless! So simply designed its lines blend with modern or traditional furniture! Leather top hand-tooled in gold . . . black lacquer with red leather, green or red lacquer with saddle leather, driftwood lacquer with brown leather. Top is 13x13".

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I PREEFER TEA, M'M'SELLE, BUT I WEEL BREW FOR YOU A POT OF OUR NATEEVE COFFEE!
OH, THANK YOU...

JOE PALOOKA

YOU'VE CORROBORATED MR. WALSH IN ALL DETAILS, JOE. WE'LL CALL YOU LATER AND GIVE YOU OUR DECISION.
WHAT HAPPENED? WHAT DID THEY AST YA... WHAT'S TH' DECISION...
THEY'LL LET US KNOW LATER TODAY.
WHY HELLO, JIMMY. WHAT ARE YOU DOING DOWN HERE... GOING TO GET A BOXING LICENSE?
HELLO, JOE... NO JUST LOOKING AROUND... IT'S MY DAY OFF.

JACK ARMSTRONG

PENNY

YOU MEAN YOU'RE NOT GOING TO TAKE ME TO THE GAME THIS AFTERNOON?
I'M SORRY, PENNY, I JUST CAN'T.
BUT YOU DEFINITELY PROMISED· I MEAN WHY CAN'T YOU?
I HAVE TO TAKE AN EXAM·
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO RIGHT AFTER THE EXAM?
WHY, SHUCKS, THAT'S WHEN--
I START IN STUDYING TO TAKE IT OVER AGAIN·
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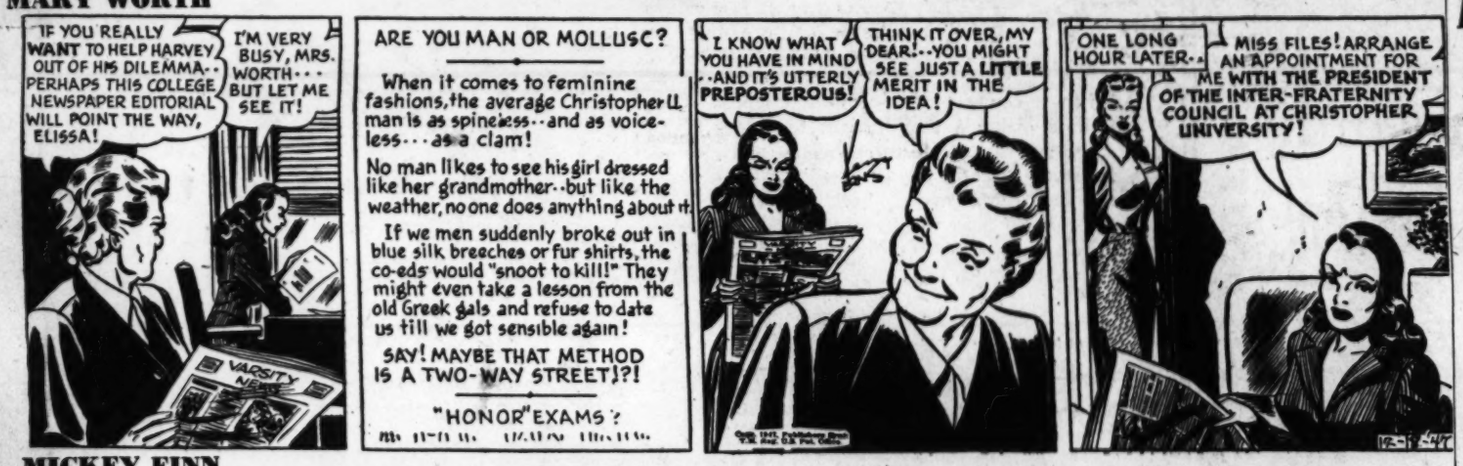
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I'M VERY BUSY, MRS. WORTH··· BUT LET ME SEE IT!
VARSITY NEWS
ARE YOU MAN OR MOLLUSC?
When it comes to feminine fashions, the average Christopher U. man is as spineless··and as voiceless···as a clam!
No man likes to see his girl dressed like her grandmother··but like the weather, no one does anything about it.
If we men suddenly broke out in blue silk breeches or fur shirts, the co-eds would "snoot to kill!" They might even take a lesson from the old Greek gals and refuse to date us till we got sensible again!
SAY! MAYBE THAT METHOD IS A TWO-WAY STREET!?!
"HONOR" EXAMS?
I KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE IN MIND··AND IT'S UTTERLY PREPOSTEROUS!
THINK IT OVER, MY DEAR!··YOU MIGHT SEE JUST A LITTLE MERIT IN THE IDEA!
ONE LONG HOUR LATER··
MISS FILES! ARRANGE AN APPOINTMENT FOR ME WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL AT CHRISTOPHER UNIVERSITY!

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SAY—LISTEN TO THIS! PETER GOTTROX WAS ARRESTED AGAIN—FOR FIGHTING IN A NIGHT CLUB!
HE'S SOME PERSON WHOM YOU KNOW?
OH, SURE! UNCLE PHIL WORKED FOR HIS FATHER YEARS AGO —AS A COACHMAN!
IT'S THE SAME OLD STORY! PETER WAS A NICE LITTLE BOY ONCE—BUT HIS FATHER SPOILED HIM BY GIVIN' HIM EVERYTHING HE WANTED!
YES! HE'S ALWAYS GETTIN' INTO BAD JAMS! THE LAST TIME IT WAS FOR DRUNKEN DRIVIN'!
WHAT ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT, MR. MINTMORE? THAT RAILROAD DEAL?
NO, CLARK! NO!
FRANK LEONARD

WINNIE WINKLE

NOW, WHILE THE KIDS ARE DOWN IN THE CELLAR, IS A GOOD TIME TO HIDE SOME OF THEIR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!!
DEC. 18.
I'VE GOT TO WORK FAST! AH, HERE'S A CUPBOARD -- THEY'LL NEVER LOOK IN HERE!!
LOOK, DADDY-
FIND PRETTY BOXES!
I'D SUGGEST, DEAR-- THAT YOU FIND A BETTER PLACE TO HIDE PRESENTS THAN THE LAUNDRY CHUTE!!

DOTTY

DR. WOOF, PEPPER HAS FLEAS AND I CAN'T SEEM TO GET RID OF 'EM!
IF YOU BRING HIM OVER HERE, I'LL TAKE CARE OF HIM FOR YOU, MR. DRIPPLE.
BURFORD TUNE
THERE! I'LL BET HE DOESN'T HAVE A FLEA ON HIM NOW!
VETERINARY
GOOD!
12-18
HOW MUCH DO I OWE YOU, DOC?
I'LL LET YOU KNOW IN JUST A MINUTE -- IT'LL BE $3 PER FLEA!!

THE DISTRICT LINE by Bill Gold

Remember When Park Road Was A Wagon Track?

Three District Liners team up to give us the answer to Mrs. Yung Kwai's question about Whitney st.

M. E. McBride of 312 Carroll ave., Takoma Park, Md., says that "about 35 or 40 years ago, Whitney st. was the name of what we now call Park rd. It didn't follow precisely the same route, but that was the general location."

J. T. Steffes of 1427 I st. nw. is a bit more specific. He says that Park rd. was Whitney st. for one block from New Hampshire ave. to Georgia ave. The remainder of the thoroughfare, from 14th st. to Soldiers Home, was Whitney ave.

Mrs. Lambert O'Donnell of 4704 Albemarle st. nw. gives us her mother's version of the "avenue-street" controversy.

She says that the present Park rd. was called Whitney st. when it was nothing more than a wagon track and cow path.

Later, when it became an acknowledged thoroughfare, it was known as Whitney ave. The name Park rd. was bestowed many years later.

SIGNS OF SUCCESS

Lieut. J. P. Dutton, USN, of 1733 20th st. nw., says that if I don't care for his poetic contributions to the column, I can answer him with the words of a sign in his paymaster's office:

"Don't go away mad—just go away."

A similar answer would be the sign the boss' secretary posted the other day, when she was trying to get out some work and couldn't stop to answer foolish questions.

She had the composing room gang make her up a placard which read:

"Whatever you want—NO!"

But neither sign is a fit answer to District Liner Dutton, whose latest attempt to shoehorn into the column is successful. It goes:

Dear District Line, I've tried and tried;
I've thought up every reason.
And if this fails, I'll try again
For enough space to squeeze in.

'TIS TRUE, 'TIS PITY

One of the best wisecracks now making the rounds is:

"Yep—women are going to be wearing their dresses longer; two years longer."

WHOA!

Don't start on Lyons yet. There's more of this up above.

DOLLARS AND SCENTS

A young lad who lives near us has discovered a great truth in the course of his Christmas shopping.

I saw him studying the cosmetic counter of our neighborhood gift shop, so I asked:

"Buying something for your girl friend?"

"No," he answered, "I'm trying to buy a present for my mother. But I'm afraid all this stuff takes more money than I've got."

"Maybe you can find something a bit less expensive," I suggested.

"Maybe," he agreed dubiously, "but even at that, it seems everything that smells good has a tax on it."

MISCELLANY

For my money, American Cab No. 163 takes the cake for Christmas decorations . . . Patricia E. Lyons of 4650 S. 36th st., Arlington, Va., reports the sad discovery that some of our stores are taking advantage of their customers with so-called "Christmas specials." The "special" wrapping twine in one store is priced at 25 cents for 45 feet. But the regular rolls of the same twine cost only 10 cents for 24 feet. Hmmm . . . F. J. K. of 1126 16th st. nw. observes that the real reason "bundlesome" women are annoying in streetcars is that "some 200-pound mama, loaded down with bundles, invariably stands near the front of the car and forms an effective roadblock" . . . Jim Wilfong of 1541 Montana ave. ne. supplies us with the surprising bit of incidental information that Shinola is a product of the Best Foods Corp . . . A Christmas "Snow Ball" dance (semi-formal) will be held by the Y-Teen Clubs this Tuesday at the Y. W. C. A. You can get further information by calling Helen A. Miller at Metropolitan 2100 . . . Another satisfied customer! Nate Leiderman of 6206 Georgia ave. nw. recently got one of our Give-Away puppies, and reports that the kids (and their parents) are as pleased as punch . . . Bob Morrow of 1755 P st. nw. comes up with the best simile of the week: "As resistent as a hang nail."

ADD NAMES

F. S. R. of 4113 W st. nw. has a few more place-names for our collection.

Oregon boasts both Brothers and Sisters, and you'll find Dad in Wyoming.

Dime Box is in Texas, but there's Money in Mississippi, Cash in Arizona and a Check in Virginia.

If you're hungry, you'll find a Cracker in Kentucky (they're not all in Georgia, you see), Pie in West Virginia and Bread Loaf in Vermont.

And you have your choice of Coffee, Tea or Cocoa—in Georgia, South Dakota and Florida, respectively.

BY THE WAY——

The Department of Internal Revenue is now mailing out 1947 income tax forms.

Is this a subtle reminder that there ain't no Santa Claus? Or is the Government just trying to reserve a place for itself on everybody's Christmas list?

Leonard Lyons . . .

NEW YORK.—When policemen tried to stop a Henry Wallace rally because there was no segregation of Negroes and whites in the audience, the presiding officer quickly shouted to a minister on-stage: "Start the prayers." The minister knelt, and recited the prayers loudly for 15 minutes—until the policemen left . . .

A nearsighted British dowager is being pointed to in Washington as the lady who voted three times for Clement Attlee because she thought she was voting for the Socialite government . . .

When the interim aid bill was voted at the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, Chairman Vandenberg told Senator Connally: "If my party passes more bills like this, you can be the chairman and I will do the heckling."

John Kieran is being accompanied everywhere by Phil Hamburger, who is writing a Profile on Kieran for the New Yorker.

Charles Luckman's final report to the White House includes a press book containing all the editorial, radio and columnists' comments, both good and bad, on the accomplishments of the committee . . .

The wives of the top Washington office-holders always start blooming when their husbands leave their Government posts, for then they no longer are repressed by protocol, discretion, etc. It was Mrs. Cordell Hull who said: "Now, for the first time in my life, I feel I can talk freely."

Jack Knight, the publisher, will receive the Howard Hawkes Aviation Trophy in New York on Wednesday.

At that "secret" Pennsylvania dinner for Eisenhower, three Republican leaders met the general. The first one said, "Good evening, Mr. President." The second one said, "You mean, of Columbia University?" And the third one said, "Certainly."

J. Edgar Hoover is the authority for the statement that throughout the war there wasn't a single case where the wife of any official ever revealed a top secret . . . Hoover adds that this proves either that the wives are discreet or that their husbands never told them anything.

When Chief Justice Vinson received an honorary degree at the University of Louisville, he held a reunion with William Mike Duffy, second baseman on the Center College team, whose shortstop and star was Fred Vinson . . . Duffy now has a grandson, and Vinson went to visit him. The youngster told his friend of the visitor they were to meet. "He's Mr. Fred Vinson." The children were unimpressed . . . "He's Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court," the boy continued. The boys' faces were blank . . . "He's . . . chief of police," the boy desperately added, and was rewarded by their looks of awe and wonder.

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NOT NOW, SPRITE. — SAVING MY BREATH FOR THE SPRINTS.
WHEW! SO THERE YOU ARE. WE WERE AFRAID YOU'D GOTTEN YOURSELVES INTO A JAM.
GEORGE

STEVE ROPER

NOW, RUN ALONG AND KEEP YOUR NOSE CLEAN IN THE FUTURE, GLOSSY--- AND I'M WILLING TO FORGET ALL ABOUT THIS!
YEAH?--WELL I AIN'T WILLIN' TO FORGET, TORRIDORA!
THANKS, MR. SPOTSHOT! YOU HAPPENED TO DROP BACK AT A MIGHTY HANDY TIME!
I DIDN'T JUST HAPPEN TO COME BACK, MISS GLOTZ! I HUNG AROUND TO TALK WITH YOUR CALLER--- SONNY BRAWNSKI! WHERE IS HE--?
SONNY WHAT-SKI?--REALLY, I HAVEN'T THE FAINTEST NOTION WHAT YOU'RE RAVING ABOUT!

DONALD DUCK

MORNIN', MRS. SCHULTZ... IS MR. SCHULTZ GOING DOWN TO WORK TODAY?
WHY, YES, HE IS!
ER..WOULD YOU MIND GIVING ME A RING WHEN HE LEAVES YOUR HOUSE?
WHY..NO... ??
RING! RING!
HE'S LEAVING NOW, MR. DUCK!
OH, THANKS, HEAPS!
MORNIN', MR. SCHULTZ!
MORNIN', DUCK!
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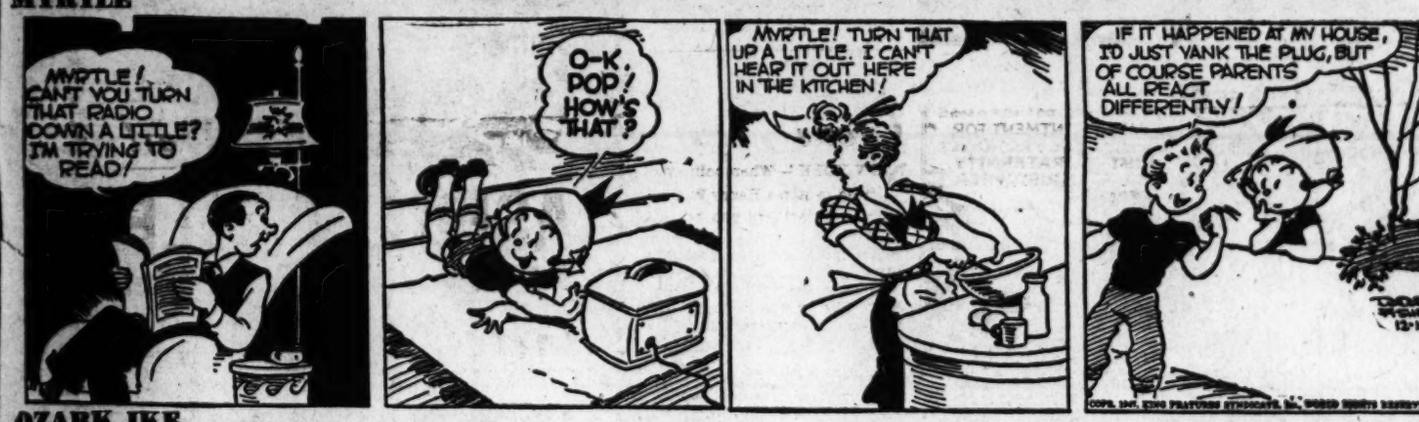
DIXIE DUGAN

MYRTLE


MYRTLE! CAN'T YOU TURN THAT RADIO DOWN A LITTLE? I'M TRYING TO READ!
O-K, POP! HOW'S THAT?
MYRTLE! TURN THAT UP A LITTLE. I CAN'T HEAR IT OUT HERE IN THE KITCHEN!
IF IT HAPPENED AT MY HOUSE, I'D JUST YANK THE PLUG, BUT OF COURSE PARENTS ALL REACT DIFFERENTLY!

OZARK IKE

AH AIN'T GOT NO BIZNESS PLAYIN' IN THIS PER-FESHUNUL CHAMPEEN-SHIP GAME...
...'CAUSE, COME SATURDAY, TH' MOS' GIGANNIC EVENT UF TH' YEAR TAKES PLACE!
GOTTA BE THERE!... BUT IT HAPPENS HUNDERDS UF MILES AWAY...
...SO AH AIN'T GOT NARY A SECON' T' LOSE!
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MARK TRAIL

GOSH, MARK, I'VE NEVER BEEN THIS HAPPY IN MY WHOLE LIFE.
SWELL, SCOTTY
ALL MY LIFE I'VE PROTECTED THAT BOY FROM GUNS, AND NOW...
...THIS CURSED DUCKS UNLIMITED MAN COMES ALONG!.. I'LL...
THEY'RE JUST A FEW YARDS DOWN IN THAT CLEARING...

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

I DON'T LIKE TO GLOAT, MAC, BUT YOU BET ME THAT SOME KID DROPPED THE BIKE WRENCH?
BICYCLE LOCKS REPAIRED
HOLD ON, KING! A MURDERER WOULDN'T LEAVE A STOLEN CAR PARKED IN FRONT OF HIS SHOP!
IF HE WAS SURE HE HADN'T LEFT A CLUE... WHY NOT?
SOMETHING'S GONE WRONG! WHY ARE TH' COPS GINGLIN' OUT MY PLACE?

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

South Needs 'Marshall Plan'

By Drew Pearson

The need for a Marshall Plan for our own Southern States has just been recommended in a shockingly frank report prepared for the House Agriculture Committee. Written by a group of Southern economists, in cooperation with experts from the Agriculture, Commerce, Labor and Interior Departments, it recommends that 27.4 billion dollars be advanced to get the South on its economic feet.

Drew Pearson

In rather blunt terms the report sets forth the evils that make the South what it calls the Nation's poorhouse. To cure them, it urges a revolutionary eight-point program.

Underlying cause of Southern poverty, the report states, is the rutted agrarian system. An overbalance of manpower is struggling without adequate tools to wrest a living from mediocre soils, which are highly erosive and badly damaged by past cultivation.

Enter the Cotton Picker

These old agrarian problems, however, are overshadowed by a spectacular new force—farm mechanization. Revolutionary new tools, such as the mechanical cotton picker, flame weeder, and improved tractors, are expected to displace 2,150,000 Southern farm workers by 1956.

Another serious impediment blocking economic development is the traditional difficulty of Southern small businesses to raise cash .

"The plain fact of the matter," says the report to Congress, "is that interest rates are appreciably higher in the South than in the North. Shortly before the war . . . State banks outside the Federal Reserve System but insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, charged average interest rates in the South ranging from 6.5 per cent in Virginia to 10.4 per cent in Texas and 11.5 per cent in Oklahoma. In the New England and Middle Atlantic States, on the other hand, the rates were 5.7 per cent."

Southern Monopoly

The economists also found: The South has one third of the Nation's school children, only one sixth of the Nation's school revenues. The South has one physician for every 1280 persons, compared with one for every 876 persons in the U. S. as a whole. Income per capita is much lower in the South than other regions, making it impossible to save the millions of dollars internally that are needed for industrial expansion, soil conservation and other improvements.

"But," the report adds in more cheerful vein, "the South is probably the Nation's greatest potential area for development. If world peace can be preserved and if domestic conditions can be made favorable to expansion, there is good reason to believe that the economy of the South can be diversified and the levels of living brought ever closer to those prevailing in other parts of the country."

Program for the South

This bold eight-point solution was recommended:

1. Provide a financial crutch for small business through loan insurance.
2. Promote research and apply it to business enterprises.
3. Adopt an equitable transportation policy that will stimulate industry throughout the Southern States
4. Eliminate monopolistic practices that hold back Southern production.
5. Eliminate interstate trade barriers and restrictions in other areas against Southern products.
6. Open large surplus war plants in the South to small business through such plans as multiple tenancy.
7. Provide minimum standards of welfare and promote wage agreements.
8. Maintain a substantial federally financed investment program designed (a) to encourage industrial expansion or other readjustment that will increase productivity, (b) to maintain and improve both human and natural resources and (c) to moderate fluctuations in the level of economic activity.

"In summary," declares the report to the House Agriculture Committee, "the staggering sum of approximately 13.4 billion dollars is required for investment for technological causes only in the South during the next 20 years. When added to the 14 billion dollars required as normal investment, the total amounts to 27.4 billion dollars."

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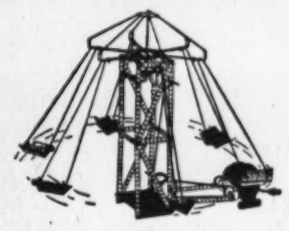

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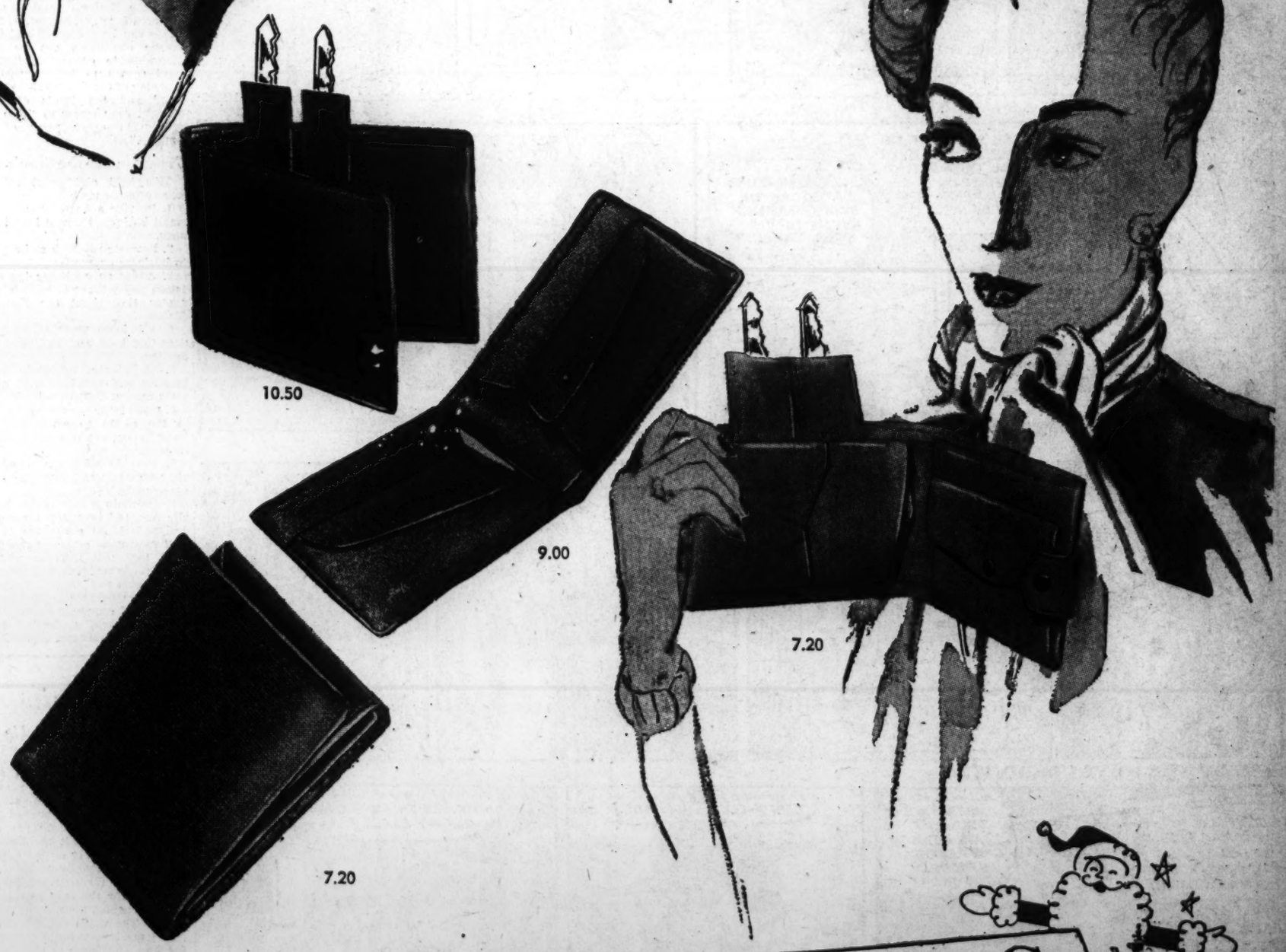

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